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ANOTHER SMELTER FOR THE ISLAND

Will be Built on West Coast to Handle Ore From Southern Cross and Other Mines.

Another smelter is in prospect for Vancouver Island. The enterprise will be undertaken by the Southern Cross Mining & Smelting Company, and £100,000 has already been subscribed for the work.

The construction of the smelter plant will probably be commenced this winter or early next spring. Its location is to be somewhere near the mouth of the Alberni canal, in the neighborhood of the copper areas owned by the Southern Cross Company, initial plans for the active development of which have already been made. A wharf for handling material and supplies has already been built in connection with the property and arrangements started so that the work can be pushed ahead, when the company decides upon earnest operations, without a minute preparatory delay. The Southern Cross property is said to be a good one, and the company already has a large quantity of ore blocked out.

In this enterprise British capital is enlisted almost exclusively. Arthur Hebden, of London, secretary of the company, made a recent visit to Victoria, and in company with H. Cecil, who is locally interested, went over the company's holdings, and also had a look at some other copper propositions on the Island. Mr. Cecil says that Mr. Hibden was quite satisfied with the look of the company's investments here.

Mr. Cecil, who has but lately returned from a long stay in the Old Country, where he was interested in engaging capital to the development of copper areas, including those of the Southern Cross and the Chemainus Copper Company's property near Chemainus, informed a Times reporter last evening that a very noticeable improvement had recently occurred in the standing of British Columbia mining investments. Confidence in the country, which had been shaken by wild cat operations, was being gradually restored, and the stocks of the two properties, which he represented were now quoted at an advantage on the exchange, and got special settlement.

It was not an easy matter to interest British capitalists in mineral prospects. There were prejudices to overcome. It was necessary to observe educational methods to show mining men that Vancouver Island had something to offer that was worth while looking into. For this purpose, Mr. Cecil adopted the plan of opening an office in London, where the prospects of his companies might be elucidated, and all information kept on hand that the skeptical investor might wish to have with respect to their properties and the mineral capacity of the country. Their office is located in the centre of the city near the stock exchange.

Mr. Cecil will leave for the Old Country in a few days to look after business there connected with the undertaking of the smelter project and mining operations on the Southern Cross property. He expects to return to Victoria before Christmas.

SIX THOUSAND FOR DEATH OF HUSBAND

WIDOW WINS CASE AGAINST RAILWAY

English Capitalists Make an Offer For the Edmonton Street Railroad Franchise

Montreal, Sept. 28.—A jury yesterday awarded Mrs. Thos. F. Boylan $6,000 damages against the Grand Trunk Railway Company for the death of her husband who was killed a year ago at Rockfield, a suburban station while waiting for a train. The track there is a double one, and Boylan, the platform of the station being crowded, was standing on the track waiting for his train. Unknown to him that morning the company had begun running on the track oposite to that formerly used for westbound traffic. Boylan expecting trains in the contrary direction, was not watching, and was struck from behind and instantly killed. The jury held that the company was to blame for not having warned passengers of the change of tracks.

Fugitive Brought Back.

Montreal, Sept. 27.—Detective McCaskill to-day arrived home from Washington, bringing with him Daniel Glass. Five years ago Glass almost murdered his cousin at Iberville, and while awaiting trial he scaped from the St. John's jail by filing the bars of his cell. A few days ago he got into trouble at Washington, and confessed to being a fugutive from Canadian justice. The police here were communicated with and Glass came back to Canada without extradiction.

On Strike.

Montreal, Sept. 27.—The trouble which has been brewing in the factory of the Montreal Waterproof Company has culminated in another strike. About fifty men and women went out. Some weeks ago it was decided to change the system of operating the factory, and a contract was given to a Mr. Silver, who agreed to pay the same wages as was being paid by the firm. The strikers objected to the contractor. The manager of the concern says he told the employees that if they were not satisfied they could quit at the end of the week, and that about 50 went out.

On Way Home.

Winnipeg, Sept. 27.—Duncan Ross, M. P., of Greenwood, has arrived in the city from Ottawa, where he was on business with the government. He left for the West to-night.

The Chateau Laurier.

Montreal, Sept. 28.—The corner stone of the new Grand Trunk hotel at Ottawa will be laid on November 20th, and the structure will be called Chateau Laurier. This announcement was made by W. Wainwright in an interview.

Grain Receipts.

Winnipeg, Sept. 27.—Grain receipts at points on the C. P. R. lines on Thursday amounted to 234,000 bushels, 222,000 bushels of wheat and 12,000 bushels of other grains. The total receipts for the season since September 1st amounted to 1,076,000 bushels of wheat and 93,000 bushels of other grains.

New Judges.

Regina, Sept. 27.—Judge Prendergast and Hon. J. H. Lamont were sworn in as judges of the Supreme court by Lieut.-Governor Forget yesterday.

May Renew Loan.

Toronto, Sept. 27.—F. H. Clergue and R. A. Pringle, M. P., were in conference yesterday with members of the cabinet, and as a result the Soo loan of $1,000,000, due next Tuesday, will probably be renewed.

Edmonton Railway.

Edmonton, Alta., Sept. 27.—The city council last night considered the offer of capitalists to secure the street railway franchise. It comes up again on Tuesday. Strathcona will also go in with Edmonton to secure a joint railway.

DELEGATES GOING TO THE CONVENTION

Representatives of the Liberals of Victoria Who Will Attend Gathering in Vancouver

On Tuesday of next week a provincial convention of the Liberals of British Columbia will be held in Vancouver. It has been called by the leader of the party in the local legislature, J. A. Macdonald, and at that gathering their is expected to be present all the Liberal members of the Dominion parliament, the Liberal members in the legislature and delegates from the different constituencies, the representation being based on a set standard.

Victoria is entitled to forty delegates, and it is expected that it will be fully represented.

At a recent meeting of the Liberals of the city a full quota of delegates were selected. They will leave Monday for the Terminal City so as to be on hand for the convention. The delegates are: R. B. McMicking, R. A. C. Grant, W. G. Cameron, Richard Hall, Frank Higgins, E. Geiger, W. S. Fraser, Dr. Lewis Hall, James Tagg, R. Dinsdale, W. H. Jones, Capt. J. G. Cox, S. Reid, W. T. Andrew, J. B. Lovell, J. H. McConnell, Fred Peters, John Meston, J. H. McLaughlain, A. Fairfull, James Bell, R. L. Drury, T. J. W. Hicks, A. B. Fraser, jr., A. B. McNeill, H. A. Munn, J. T. McIlymoyle, William Dee, Trevor Keene, A. J. Morris, Walter Walker, Frank Mellor, William Turpell, A. F. McCrimmon, T. L. Toy, H. H. Shandley, W. K. Houston, Dr. A. A. Humber, H. E. A. Courtney and W. E. Ditchburn.

MOTORMAN KILLED.

Toledo, Sept. 28.—In a collision on the Toledo and Port Clinton electric road to-day, Motorman Nullann, was killed and Conductor Brandon and half a dozen others were injured.

The Bavarian Royal Family owns over one-fifth of Bavaria. The kingdom is richer, comparatively, than any other in the world.

MACKENZIE KING'S DENIAL.

(Special to the Times).

Ottawa, Sept. 28.—An item appeared in eastern newspapers to the effect that Mackenzie King spoke favorably of Chinese immigration, and stated that some of them were getting $4 a day in sawmills on the coast.

In a letter to the press Mr. King not only denies the truth of the report, but says that it was a malicious invention. He never at any time made such a statement.

SENT TO PENITENTIARY.

Toronto, Sept. 27.—Albert Petitt and William Marshall, two boys who escaped from Mimico industrial school some weeks ago and entered upon a burglar's career, were sentenced today. Petitt got three years and Marshall four years in the penitentiary.

WILL NOT GIVE WAY TO PANIC

SIR WILFRID LAURIER ON TREATY WITH JAPAN

Government Must Make Full Inquiry Before Taking Action--Reciprocity in Trade

(Special to the Times).

Ottawa, Sept. 27.—George Tate Blackstock, at the Canadian Manufacturers' Association banquet at Toronto last night, proposed the toast of Canada and the British Empire, and in doing so advocated Canada paying a contribution to the navy.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, replying, said Mr. Blackstock's conception was Roman unity and organization, while his (Laurier's) view was British individuality of communities. Canada's motto should be Imperial unity with local autonomy.

Referring to Canada's commercial relations, the Premier spoke of the preference to Britain. He said no one will find fault with it. No human institution was perfect. The preference was satisfactory and reasonably successful. He continued: "Had I my way we would have universal free trade with the Empire. We are ready for reciprocity in trade within the British Empire, but Britain is not ready for it. We will not dictate to Britain, as we don't want them to dictate to us."

Touching diplomatic relations, he said they were none as successful as might be wished. Britain's diplomatic record concerning Canada was a sacrifice of Canada's interests.

Speaking of the all red line proposal, the premier said it would succeed.

Taking up the Japanese matter, Sir Wilfrid said a certain section of their fellow-countrymen at Winnipeg had called upon the government to do away with the treaty. That treaty had only been in operation for two years. To renounce it would be simply to act in a panic.

"I am not disposed to act in a panic," said Sir Wilfrid. "I want to look about to think, to reflect, to inquire before I make up my mind, and it is necessary for the Canadian government to inquire, to think, to reflect and to say what is the best course to be followed in the interests of the Canadian people. To deliver judgment at once would not be playing the part of responsible men. It is the duty of the Canadian government to reflect, to inquire, to look about and if necessary, to send a commission to gather more information."

THE AMERICA CUP.

Yachting Expert Approves Action of the New York Club in Refusing Challenge.

New York, Sept. 28.—J. R. Shars, the yachting expert, says in an interview published here: "The action of the New York Yacht Club in declining to accept the challenge from Sir Thomas Lipton to sail a race for the America cup with a boat, not only of a size inferior to those that have recently raced for it, but of a type decidedly slower, ought to have the hearty support of every sportsman in the United States and the world.

"The America cup is without a peer as a trophy for outdoor sport, because it has always stood as the prize of the swiftest yacht in the world of the large type and because it has been successfully defended against attacks of the ablest designers and yachtsmen of the best yachting nation of Europe. Sir Thomas has sporting blood that is as good as his advisors are bad. Sir Thomas wants a fair race on the best terms possible Others want to get hold of the cup by hook or crook. They have waged a long war of words and succeeded in throwing so much dust into American eyes that a rule was adopted to discourage the building of swift boats. They have not yet succeeded in making the America cup the trophy of a class of houseboats."

NORTHERN RAILWAY.

(Special to the Times).

Ottawa, Sept. 28.—The British-Yukon railway will apply at the next session of parliament for an act authorising the company to construct a line of railway from near White Horse to the Tahkeena river with power to issue bonds.

The Australian coast is unbroken by any stream for nearly 1,000 miles.

FAIR CLOSES THIS EVENING

FINAL DAY OF THE GREAT EXHIBITION

Record For This Year Has Been an Excellent One in All Respects

The big fair of 1907 is about over, and it is very nearly the season for stocktaking. The propitious weather has no doubt had much to do with the extraordinary success which has attended the efforts of the society this year, but that has not been by any means the chief factor. Secretary Smart attributes the increased attendance very largely to the increased advertising which has been done. In every town of any importance west of Winnipeg and in the cities of the United States, which are adjacent to Victoria, big posters have been distributed and large bundles of other advertising matter.

The result of this is that every day this week the attendance has been much larger than on corresponding days of last year, the total receipts being almost $2,000 in advance of last season. Yesterday the attendance for the day was 5,730, bringing $450 more than the same day in 1906.

In summarizing the exhibit Mr. Guardhouse, who is considered one of the best authorities on the continent, expressed himself to the Mayor before leaving in terms which could not be mistaken. He said that Victoria had established a record in shows which it would be hard to beat. The exhibits and the amusements he considered of the very highest class, especially the stock, which came very near to perfection. These are not the idle words of an irresponsible enthusiast, but the well considered verdict of a judge.

Several of the judges have expressed their appreciation of the management, but especially of the untiring efforts of Dr. Tolmie, who is one of the vice-presidents of the Agricultural Association and chairman of the sports committee. This gentleman has been the very mainspring of the racing department, and is deserving of the thanks of the society and of the general public. F. M. Logan has also done very effective work in his department, and especially in connection with the stock judging competition, which was originated by him.

The secretary and his assistants have also done very efficient work in all branches.

This evening the Fifth Regiment band will be at the main building, and a large attendance is expected. The exhibits will remain in place until a late hour, so that if there are any who have not yet had an opportunity of visiting that part of the show they may be able to do so before the closing. The side shows are all running full blast, and special cars will run all evening

Towards the close of an affair of this kind suggestions in the way of improvements are always in order. One of the judges before leaving offered the opinion that something in the form of a gymkana taking place inside the ring in front of the grand stand would make a nice variety between the different events in the races. The cowboys who come down for the rough riding contests are very clever on horseback and could give a number of interesting stunts. There are also a number of gentlemen in the Duncans district who might be induced to come down and uphold the honor of the Island in a contest with these men. Messrs Mutter and Mainguy are riders of repute whom it would be hard to beat. At the Duncans show every year there is a gymkana which is the great feature of the show, and the tent-pegging, and other departments are wonderfully clever. A relay race by the cowboys would also prove most interesting, much cheaper and far ahead of trapeze work or any illegitimate fair attractions.

The fact that the management of the show this year relied upon the show proper to amuse the crowd has been the cause of much favorable comment. The mass of the people would rather watch a horse race than a gymnastic performance or trapeze work, and the permanent exhibits bring many hundreds who do not even take in the races. On citizen's day it was remarked that during the progress of the races the buildings containing the exhibits were crowded to overflowing. Men and women lingered to feast their eyes on the wonderful fruit and beautiful flowers which were to be seen both upstairs and down.

A large crowd are gathered this afternoon to witness the races which surpass in interest any of the former days. Tom Keene is entered in the open event and this fact alone is sufficient to induce all sporting men to be present.

A large number of exhibits are being taken on to New Westminster. Among these will be the horses brought out by Thomas Mercer, the cattle exhibit of Quick Brothers and in fact all the best

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CLOTHING SET ON FIRE BY MATCHES

FIVE YEAR OLD GIRL BURNED TO DEATH

Attempted Murder and Suicide by Montreal Dressmaker--Rancher Probably Ended His Life.

Austin, Man., Sept. 27.—Little Reta Cuthbert was fatally burned while playing with matches. While her mother was in town and her father was with the threshing outfit, she and three younger children were keeping house. The children got access to the matches in some way and Reta, who is five years old, set fire to her clothes. She ran from the house, but before the flames could be extinguished she was very badly burned. All the medical care possible was given her, but she passed away.

Shot by Woman.

Montreal, Sept. 28.—Celiana Apointe, a young French Canadian dressmaker, entered a billiard parlor on St. Catherine street east, yesterday, and after a few words conversation with Ludger Houle, the manager, drew a revolver and shot him through the head. She then turned the weapon on herself, the bullet entering her head. Both were removed to the hospital, where the bullet was easily extracted from Houle's head. The woman is not expected to live. Houle professed to know no reason for her act, and says the woman must have been temporarily demented.

Boat Builder Missing.

Winnipeg Beach, Man., Sept. 27.—Regarding the sail boat mystery reported from here on Monday afternoon, a boat builder named Hygard, of West Selkirk, who had been building boats at Husavick, called in here for supplies for the trip to Selkirk. The lake was beginning to get rough, but he thought he could make the mouth of the river before the sea got too high. The boat he had appeared to answer the description of the one found south of Whytewold, and information was received from Constable Baker, of Selkirk, this morning that Hygard had not yet arrived there.

Rancher Disappeared.

Medicine Hat, Sept. 28.—It is feared that S. S. Stronach, a well known rancher, has fulfilled a recent threat that he would take his own life if he ever felt himself "up against it." The members of the local detachment of R. N. W. M. P. who have been scouring the country for Stronach returned to the city yesterday without having seen anything of their man. Stronach was wanted on a charge of stealing. He was in town Wednesday of last week and sold a calf to W. J. Hunt for $8. The amount was to be left at the slaughter house, but no more was seen of it. The mounted police getting wind of the affair, saw Mr. Hunt and he laid information against the rancher for the theft of the calf. Stronach's wagon and team were found in the outstable at Bailey Place and the police watched until nine in the evening, under instructions to execute a warrant. As the owner did not turn up the team was brought to the barracks. On Monday Mrs. Stronach, who had remained alone with her children at the ranch, became alarmed and walked nine miles into Irvine where she telegraphed to the city making inquiry about her husband. The police rode down to the ranch on Tuesday but as stated could see nothing of Stronach.

BRITISH WARSHIPS COMING TO ESQUIMALT

Special to The Times.

MONTREAL, Sept. 28.—A special cable says:—Great Britain will send a fleet of five warships to Esquimalt early next spring during the movements of the big United States squadron along the Pacific coast.

Whether they will remain only for a year, or permanently, could not be learned.

One will be a small battleship, and two will be first-class cruisers.

HEART-TO-HEART TALK WITH BORDEN

Western Conservatives Not Satisfied With His Policy--Must Make Radical Changes to Secure Their Support.

(Special to the Times).

Winnipeg, Sept. 28.—During the recent visit of R. L. Borden to Winnipeg he was informed by western Conservatives that his policy had too many "ifs" and "ands," it was too non-committal and not sufficiently anti-corporate in its tone. As a result, Mr. Borden promised to make a number of changes with a view to conciliating his western supporters and securing much needed assistance in the ensuing campaign.

The meeting took place in the vice-regal suite at the Royal Alexander. Federal Conservative members, local Conservatives and cabinet members gathered to meet their leader and bid him welcome and wish him success. However, there was more than welcome in their hearts.

Since the enunciation of his policy by Mr. Borden at the beginning of his tour the party in the West has been dissatisfied. There was too much "milk and water" in its composition to suit the ideas of the West, where they wanted something vigorous; something that would stir up public opinion and give them something to work on.

After a long discussion it was decided that Mr. Borden must not be allowed to go further in the West without being told of the general feeling. The unanimous choice of spokesman fell upon Sanford Evans, a defeated candidate. The party had all gathered with the leader and the interview was nearly at an end, and yet nothing had been heard from the chosen orator.

However, Premier Roblin took the floor himself and discussed Mr. Borden's policy with a frankness which astonished that gentleman. The policy which he had considered to be inoffensive to any one and which could not hurt the feelings of the most fastidious, he found ruthlessly torn to shreds by his western lieutenant. Mr. Borden was told that he could arouse the sympathy of the western people if he came out straight and clear against corporations and stood for lower rates for passengers and freight on railways and cheaper postage. Further, that his very carefully worded statement on telephones and telegraphs was not sufficiently definite, and that he should come out in favor of government ownership. There were few fundamental principles of his policy which would draw the western people in support of his platform.

From time to time it has been suggested that Premier Roblin would organize and lead the western Conservatives in the next federal campaign, and it is said Mr. Borden expected his lieutenant's support when he came West. He was told, however, that he could not expect any support unless he reformed his policy. The latest reprort is that Premier Roblin, whose health is not satisfactory, fears to enter into a strenuous campaign, and that the leader in the West will not be the premier of Manitoba.

In the meantime Mr. Borden, after promising to make a number of suggested changes, has gone to the coast. He will be back in Manitoba next month on his campaign tour, and it is expected that by the time he begins speaking east of the Rockies there will be some radical changes in his doctrines which will bring to his aid combined Conservative forces of the West.

MURDERED BY BOXERS.

Italian Priest and Number of Converts Killed in China.

Shangha, Sept. 27.—An outbreak of Boxerism has occurred at Nankangson, in the southern part of the province of Kiangsi.

An Italian priest and a number of converts have been murdered at the village of Tawowli, and the Lazarist fathers' mission at Kangchowful has been burned.

The missionaries escaped to Kiafu, where they telegraphed for assistance.

Advices from Kanchowfu say that the Protestant missionaries there are safe.

INCREASE IN THE PRICE OF BREAD

Local Bakers Have Agreed Upon Twenty Per Cent Advance on First of Month.

Bread is to be advanced in price commencing October 1st. After that date the bakers of the city will sell tickets at 16 for $1.00, instead of 20 as at present. This means an advance of 20 per cent on the prevailing prices to the consumer.

Practically all the bakers in the city have agreed to the new schedule of rates which will go into effect on Tuesday next. The advance in the price of flour and the higher prices paid for fuel and wages are offered as the reason for this sharp increase in the price of bread.

AUTO ACCIDENT.

Car Crashed Into Fence During a Race—Three Persons Probably Fatally Injured.

New York, Sept. 28.—In the first accident of consequence in the twenty-four hour race in Morris park, three were perhaps fatally injured and a score bruised. One of the cars going over sixty miles an hour crashed through the fence in the thirteenth hour of the race. The car was being driven by Harry Smelzer, of New York. He was struck by a heavy timber and thrown from his machine. It was found that his skull was fractured and he was taken to the hospital in a dying condition. John Clarke who was standing near was injured internally, and a boy named Fred Tapp, had a fractured leg and sustained other injuries. Crowds rushed on the track and it was impossible for the police to hold them in check. Many had narrow escapes from being hit by cars that were racing around the track, the race not having been interrupted by the accident.

BOY SEARED WITH RED HOT IRON

REVOLTING CRUELTY ON NORWEGIAN BARQUE

Young German Tied to Deck and Fed on Burned Crusts and Water.

Campbellton, N. B., Sept. 28.—From Bonaventure comes a tale of cruelty that would seem incredible but for the testimony of eye-witnesses. The victim is a young German and his oppressors were Capt. K. S. Christiansen, of the Norwegian barque Agat, and the first mate.

The Agat arrived at Bonaventure on September 1st and finishing loading on September 18th. The cruelties came under the observation of Stevedore Gallagher and his men. One morning they found the boy tied to a ring bolt on the deck. Both his hands and feet were tied and he could scarcely move. He was kept in this position for a day, it is alleged, and the only food handed him consisted of burned crusts and water. He told Mr. Stewart that the mate had thumped his head against the deck, and it had driven him mad. The boy was taken, bound as he was, and lowered over the side of the vessel, dipped several times and at length brought out more dead than alive.

On another occasion longshoremen saw the mate with an iron bar chase the boy up through the rigigng, the boy all the while screaming in a terrified manner.

Baring his neck and shoulders the boy showed Oswald Smith, of Campbellton, and others, marks which he said had been inflicted by the mate with a red hot iron. Mr. Smith remonstrated with the captain for treating the boy as he did, saying the boy could not uinderstand his orders.

Stories of the cruelties were brought ashore by the men loading the vessel, and they reached the local authorities, with the result that officers went on board and took the boy ashore.

They wired the facts to the German consul at Montreal. The consul wired to have the captain arrested. Both captain and mate were arrested.

The captain was fined $100 and the first mate fined $100 and sentenced to three months' imprisonment for cruelty.

Another German boy who was also the victim of ill-treatment on board the Agat ran away. He was caught by the authorities and was one of the witnesses against the mate. It was brought out that while the boy was tied hand and foot a cat was tied to him and he was subjected to other horrifying treatment.

TO DISCUSS FREIGHT RATES.

(Special to the Times).

Vancouver, Sept. 28.—F. W. Peters, of the C. P. R., went to Victoria today. On Monday he will hold a conference with Victoria freight people on the rate question.

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CITY CHURCHES.

(Notices for this column must reach the Times Office not later than 10 o'clock on Saturday morning in order to insure insertion.)

ANGLICAN.

St. James', Quebec street, corner of St. John. Rector, Rev. J. H. S. Sweet. Holy communion at 8; matins, litany and sermon at 11; evensong and sermon at 7. The music follows:

Morning.

Organ Voluntary .....
Venite and Psalms .... Cathedral Psalter
Te Deum—2nd Alternative .....
..... Cathedral Psalter
Benedictus ..... Troutbeck
Hymns ..... 423, 421 and 297
Organ Voluntary .....

Evening.

Organ Voluntary .....
Psalms ..... Cathedral Psalter
Magnificat ..... Smart
Nunc Dimittis ..... S. John
Hymns ..... 424, 299 and 223
Vesper Hymn ..... M. S.
Organ Voluntary .....

St. Barnabas', Cook street, corner of Caledonia avenue. Sunday being the feast of "St. Michael and All Angels," there will be a celebration of the holy eucharist at 8 a. m., matins at 10.30 a. m., choral eucharist at 11 a. m., choral evensong at 7 p. m. The rector, Rev. E. G. Miller, will be the preacher for the day, and will give a resume of the history of that church at the evening service, taking for his subjects: Morning, "Ministering Spirits"; evening, "God's Purpose." All seats are free. The musical arrangements are as follows:

Morning.

Organ—Largo in E Minor ..... Handel
Processional Hymn 179
Communion Service ..... Simper in D
Offertory Anthem ..... Fitzgerald
Hymns ..... 313, 424 and 423
Nunc Dimittis ..... St. John
Organ—And He Shall Purify ..... Handel

Evening.

Organ—He Shall Feed His Flock..Handel
Psalms ..... Cathedral Psalter
Magnificat ..... Smart
Nunc Dimittis ..... Petch
Hymns .....
296, 546 and "God Is Working His Purpose Out," copies of which will be provided for the congregation.
Processional 390
Vesper—I Will Lay Me Down in Peace
Organ—March in G ..... Hill

St. John's, Douglas street, corner of Fisguard. Morning prayer, 11 a. m.; evensong, 7 p. m. The rector will preach in the morning and the Rev. A. J. Stanley Ard in the evening. The music follows:

Matins.

Organ .....
Processional Hymn .....
Venite ..... Savage
Psalms for the 29th Morning .....
..... Cathedral Psalter
Te Deum ..... Alt. 2nd Set
Benedicite .....
Benedictus ..... Troutbeck
Jubilate .....
Anthem .....
Hymn 421
Litany .....
Kyrie .....
Gloria Tibi .....
Creed .....
Offertory Sentences .....
Hymns ..... 424 and 303
Recessional Hymn .....

Evensong.

Organ .....
Processional Hymn .....
Psalms for the 29th Evening .....
..... Cathedral Psalter
Psalms ..... 2nd Set
Magnificat .....
Cantate ..... Woodward
Nunc Dimittis .....
Deus Misereatur ..... Hopkins
Anthem .....
Hymns ..... 289, 254 and 346
Amen .....
Vesper .....
Recessional Hymn .....

St. Mark's, Cloverdale. Harvest festival. Holy communion, 8 a. m.; matins and sermon, 11 a. m.; evensong and sermon, 7 p. m. Preachers: Morning, the rector; evening, the Lord Bishop of the diocese.

REFORMED EPISCOPAL.

Church of Our Lord, Humboldt street. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sermons by Rev. Thos. W. Gladstone. Morning subject, "Ebad-Meled, the Ethiopean"; evening, "The Shield of Faith." The music follows:

Morning.

Organ—Andante ..... Beethoven
Venite and Psalms—As Set .....
..... Cathedral Psalter
Te Deum ..... Second Set
Jubilate ..... No. 1
Hymns ..... 560, 30 and 419
Organ—Postlude ..... Darnall

Evening.

Organ—Comfort Ye ..... Handel
Opening Hymn 383
Psalms—as set ..... Cathedral Psalter
Magnificat—IV. ..... Mercer
Nunc Dimittis—No. 1 ..... Mercer
Hymns ..... 506, 520 and 223
Organ—March ..... W. G. Woods

METHODIST.

Metropolitan, Pandora avenue, corner of Quadra. Convention services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Morning service, Rev. Merton Smith, of Vancouver; evening, Rev. J. A. Doyle, field secretary of the Epworth Leagues. Classes, 10 a. m. Sunday school rally, 2.30 p. m. Rev. C. Burnett, Central Baptist church. Good musical services. Everybody welcome.

James Bay, Menzies street, corner of Michigan. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. The acting pastor, Rev. W. E. Dunham, will preach farewell sermons at both services. Morning subject, "A Final Exhortation"; evening, "Last Words." Miss Bernice Scowcroft will sing at the evening service. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Victoria West, corner of Wilson and Catherine streets. Divine service at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Rev. H. A. Carson will occupy the pulpit in the morning and the pastor in the evening. Owing to the funeral of the late Mrs. Whetstone there will be no session of the Sunday school. Harvest Home services next Sunday, Oct. 6th. A. E. Roberts, pastor.

Centennial, Gorge road. Convention services to-morrow at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Rev. J. A. Doyle will preach in the morning, subject, "Our Sunday School Work." The pastor, Rev. S. J. Thompson, will preach in the evening on "Christ and the Young Man." The Sunday school will hold a special rally in the afternoon at 2.30, when A. J. Brace and Rev. J. A. Doyle will deliver short addresses. Mrs. E. Parsons and Miss Kayton will sing. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

PRESBYTERIAN.

St. Andrew's, Douglas street, corner of Broughton. Services will be held at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Bible class, 3. The morning service will take the form of a children's service, it being observed as Children's Day throughout Canada. The pastor, Rev. W. Leslie Clay, B. A., will be the preacher. The musical selections are as follows:

Morning.

Voluntary—Jerusalem the Golden .....
..... Dr. Spark
Psalm 72
Anthem—O Lord, How Manifold..Barnby
Hymns ..... 524, 534, 565 and 447
Voluntary—Let All the Angels ... Handel

Evening.

Voluntary—Paradisus Animae ..... Field
Psalm 16
Anthem—Sun of My Soul ..... Turner
Contralto Solo, Miss Kayton; Bass Solo, F. Waddington.
Hymns ..... 341 and 334
Solo—Wandering Child Come Home..
..... Blight
Mrs. W. E. Staneland.
Voluntary—Vesper March ..... Bonheur

First, Pandora avenue, corner of Blanchard. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Rev. Dr. Campbell, the pastor, will preach at both. Junior Christian Endeavor Society meets at 10 a. m. Sabbath school and Bible class at 2.30 p. m. Strangers cordially invited. Mrs. Wm. Gregson will be the soloist at the morning service, singing Cowen's "The Better Land."

BAPTIST.

Central, A. O. U. W. hall, Yates street. Rev. Christopher Burnett will commence two special courses of sermons. Morning, "A Revival of the 9th Century, B. C."; evening, "The Conversion of a Commissioner of Taxes." Visitors heartily invited.

Emmanuel, North Chatham street, corner of Fernwood road. E. Le Roy Dakin, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Bible school at 2.30 p. m. Clyde E. Van de Maatin, of Louisville, Kentucky, exfield secretary of Christian Endeavor, will speak at the morning service. In the evening a special Gospel service will be held. All are cordially invited.

Victoria hall, Blanchard street. Rev. Fred. T. Tapscott, M. A., pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Themes: Morning, "The Gospel in the Old Testament and the Gospel in the New"; evening, "The Prodigal Son." Special music. Morning, "Still Will We Trust"; evening, anthem, "Seeking God," by Colbeck-Scott, and a quartette, "Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee."

CONGREGATIONAL.

First, Pandora avenue, corner of Blanchard. Divine worship at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Rev. Hermon A. Carson, B. A., pastor. At the morning service Rev. A. E. Roberts will preach. At the evening service Rev. Merton Smith, of Vancouver, will preach, the subject being, "A Brand Plucked Out of the Fire." The male quartette of Knox church will sing at the evening service. Bible school and Bible classes at 2.30 p. m. Young peoples meeting on Monday at 8 p. m. Prayer meeting, Thursday, 8 p. m. Musical arrangements under the direction of J. Leslie Forster. Morning anthem, "Oh Lord, How Manifold," Barnby; evening, "Radiant Morn," Woodward. Visitors and strangers cordially welcomed.

OTHER DENOMINATIONS.

Christadelphians, Labor hall, Douglas street. Bible lecture at 7 p. m. Mr. Watkinson will take for his subject, "The Prophet's Prophesy Falsely Saying Peace! When There Is No Peace. All welcome.

Christian Science, K. of P. hall, corner Pandora and Douglas streets. Service at 11 a. m. Subject to-morrow, "Unreality." All are welcome.

Spiritualism, 175 Chatham street, near Cook. R. H. Kneeshaw lectures at 7.30 p. m. Subject, "The Wise Men From the East." The public are cordially invited to these lectures.

Harmony Hall, View street. Sunday school, 10 a. m.; meeting for worship, 11 a. m.; Gospel service, to be addressed by A. J. Brace, 7 p. m.

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EDWARDS SENTENCED TO TEN YEARS FOR FRAUD

Canadian Pacific Railway Officials to Visit West--Financial Outlook Is Improving

Winnipeg, Sept. 27.—T. D. Edwards, the fraudulent stockbroker, was given ten years by Magistrate Daly at the police court to-day. The prisoner has achieved some prominence in the city, and there was considerable interest in the case. The words "ten years" compelled a hush of astonishment. It was more or less widely known that Edwards had a bad record, that his crooked dealings in this city were but the sequel to similar proceedings elsewhere, but "ten years," as an awed barrister put it, "is a long time." As the magistrate went into the details of the prisoner's past, as he showed him to be a smooth tongued villain, who defrauded every man he met, the justness of the punishment became apparent. Edwards is a big, heavily built man, with a hard face. When acknowledging the correctness of the facts about his past record, he spoke in a quiet voice that was scarcely audible. He has been sentenced before, probably more than once, but the "ten years" hit him. He passed his hand across his trembling mouth and eyes and had to be touched smartly before he realized that he had to disappear through the prisoner's door.

Coming West.

Montreal, Sept. 27.—Very shortly after the annual meeting of the shareholders of the C. P. R. on October 2nd, Sir Thos. Shaugnessy with a party of directors will leave for the West in order to make an extensive tour of the whole system. A special train will convey the party. The president will be accompanied by several of the leading directors and shareholders of the road.

Financial Situation.

Montreal, Sept. 27.—An inquiry at the leading banks in this city to-day elicited the information that the outlook is much more favorable, from a financial point of view, throughout the three provinces of Manitoba, Alebrta and Saskatchewan, than was the case three months ago. As a matter of fact the merchants and business men generally have apparently heeded the warning note sounded all through these provinces several months ago by the conservative banking men, and this accounts for the improved outlook.

Presented With Medal.

Toronto, Sept. 27.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier was presented with a gold medal with his image on its face yesterday. It was presented with the object of commemorating the fair.

Lumber Sold.

Toronto, Sept. 27.—One of the biggest lumber deals in the history of New Brunswick was consummated when Sumner & Co., sold their entire property in Gloucester county to American capitalists. The property includes a large sawmill, a general store and extensive lumber areas throughout the country. The price was a quarter million.

Formally Installed.

Toronto, Sept. 27.—Rev. Robt. Falconer, D. D., has been formally installed as president of Toronto University.

Takes House.

Ottawa, Sept. 27.—Hon. Geo. E. Foster has taken a house here and from November will reside here so as to be in Ottawa during the session.

Sudden Death.

Ottawa, Sept. 27.—George McKay, aged 69, living near Brockville, was attacked with heart disease and died in less than a minute.

Assigns.

Toronto, Sept. 27.—B. Greenberg, who conducted a clothing store under the name of the York Clothing Company, has assigned. The liabilities are about $40,000 and assets about $37,000. A meeting of creditors was called to-day.

FOUR INDICTMENTS.

Charges Against Southern Pacific Railway and Pacific Mail Steamship Company.

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 27.—The Federal grand jury to-day returned four inlictments of 124 counts against the Southern Pacific Railway Company and the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, charging violations of the interstate commerce law. These indictments, if followed by convictions, are sufficient to render the corporations liblze to fines aggregating $2,480,000.

The defendant corporations are accused of secretly cutting to $1 the published rate of $1.25 on the shipments of rough matting from Japan to San Francisco and thence through the United States.

Judge DeHaven, to whom the indictments were returned in the United States district court, directed the summoning of either the general manager, the general agent or the secretary of each corporation.

MRS. CHADWICK ILL.

Columbus, Ohio, Sept. 27.—Mrs. Cassie Chadwick, the Cleveland "witch of finance," who is in the Ohio penitentiary, is seriously ill. This morning she had a relapse, which alarmed the physicians, but she rallied. Her death is not expected, though it is admitted that the outcome cannot be predicted with certainty.

MANUFACTURERS AND TREATY WITH JAPAN

Has Assisted to Develop Trade--Opposed to Hurried Action Towards Abrogation

Toronto, Sept. 27.—One of the last and most significant acts of the convention of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, which has just clased, was to place itself on record as opposed to any precipitate action in regard to the Asiatic problem in British Columbia which might result in the abrogation of the trade treaty between Great Britain and Japan. The pronouncement took the form of a resolution which declared that the treaty has already done a great deal towards the development of trade with Japan, and urged upon the government the desirability of taking no hurried action.

The wisdom of the resolution was questioned by one or two members, one of whom characterized it as dangerous, but outspoken speeches in its support were delivered by W. K. George and W. Robins, and it was carried by an immense majority. Mr. Robins claimed that the interests of the mother country and her relations with Japan should stand above provincial or petty trade interests.

The resolution regarding the Asiatic influx was as follows:

"Whereas there can be no doubt that it is desired by all intelligent people in Canada that we should build up a trans-Pacific trade with Asia, from the results of which all parts of Canada, and especially British Columbia, would greatly benefit; and

"Whereas it cannot be doubted that the existence of the present treaty, favorable as it is in many respects to Canada, has already done a great deal toward the development of trade with Japan, and that the abrogation of the treaty would not only be disastrous so far as existing trade is itself concerned, but all hope of future extended relations with Japan would have to be abandoned; therefore be it

Resolved, that we do urge and recommend that the Dominion government, while giving due consideration to all interests in Canada, should take no hurried action toward the abrogation of the treaty, which stands today as the basis of a friendly alliance between Great Britain and Japan."

The officers of the association were elected as follows: President, Hon. J. D. Rolland, Montreal; vice-president, John Hendry, Vancouver; vice-president for Ontario, R. Hesson, Hamilton; vice-president for Quebec, D. L. McGibbon, Montreal; vice-president for Nova Scotia, T. McCuttle, Halifax; vice-president for British Columbia, R. P. McLennan, Vancouver.

The executive is considering Montreal and Vancouver for the next convention. About 250 members of the association left this morning for Hamilton and Niagara Falls.

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Floods in Spain and Southern France Claim Many Victims--Rain Delays Rescue Work

Madrid, Spain, Sept. 27.—The government to-day announced that the wine crop in the valleys of Andalusia has been ruined by the floods. The figures place the numbers of flood victims at 72 drowned and 67 injured.

Rescue Work Suspended.

Malaga, Spain, Sept. 27. — The renewal of rain to-day is causing fresh inundations and a suspension of rescue work. Picturesque valleys of a few days ago are now covered with water, and desolation reigns on all sides. The bodies of about 100 drowned have been recovered here and in this vicinity.

City Flooded.

Grenada, Spain, Sept. 27.—The lower quarters of this city are flooded. A large number of animals have been drowned. Fields are ruined and communication interrupted.

Southern France.

Paris, Sept. 27.—Dispatches from the flooded southern provinces report that the troops are still actively engaged in rescue work. Many people have been obliged to seek refuge in the tops of trees. The number of lives lost is not large. The wine harvest is almost a complete loss.

Many Doctors Failed

Dr. Hamilton Again Figures in a Case That Puzzled Other Physicians.

Halifax, N. S., Sept. 28.—When the statement of Mrs. Stanley, of 148 Argyle St., was first given it caused no small comment, and again establishes that as a physician who understands his profession none excel Dr. Hamilton.

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MYSTERIOUS EXPLOSION.

Chicago, Sept. 27.—Another explosion, the ninth, was added last night to the mysterious series of violent occurrences created by feuds between factions of Chicago gamblers. This time the explosion occurred in the down town district. A concussion, as mysterious as its predecessors, shattered the rear windows and doors of the Morrison buildings. The greater part of the ground floor is occupitd by the cash register business of Monttennes.

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LINERS COLLIDED DURING A FOG

THE MONGOLIAN HAS ARRIVED AT QUEBEC

Passengers Were Transferred to the Hurona After the Accident --A Brave Stewardess

Quebec, Sept. 27.—With a slight list to port, and with her starboard bow torn open from the topmast rail to below the waterline, the once majestic Allan liner Mongolian slowly rounded the island of Orleans about 10 o'clock, and an hour later she was moored at the company's wharf in the port of Quebec.

The story of how the Mongolian and Hurona crashed one into the other, on the very border of the Atlantic, was then told and retold. But the exact reason why the vessels collided yet remains unsolved, and perhaps may never be authentically established. From what has been learned, it is quite apparent that a dense fog enveloped both vessels, and passengers from both the Hurona and Mongolian state that the foghorns of the two steamers were kept in almost constant operation, but as the sea was lashed to a heavy swell by a strong gale it is likely that the sound was deadened and thus failed to carry its message of warning.

The great redeeming feature of the accident is that not a single life was lost, though the event was characterized by all the sensational features following a collision at sea. There were the heavy jolt, the grind of crushing steel, the frantic rush for the decks, the lowering of the boats and rescue of the passengers, and then the perilous journey for a mile or two in a frail craft across a heaving sea to the other vessel.

Fortunately, a sudden dissipation of the clouds, showing the moon, cleared up the dark night, and this greatly facilitated the work of transferring the passengers. The damage to the Hurona is slight, only her planks being stove in, but the Mongolian has a funnel-shaped cavity in her starboard bow of some twenty feet across.

Rev. C. R. Bruillette, a French-Canadian Presbyterian clergyman, who is now a resident of Long Beach, California, was a passenger. He says the collision occurred about 7 o'clock on Sunday night. He was informed by officers of the ship that there was no immediate danger to passengers, but almost immediately afterwards orders were given to lower the boats, and the passengers were transferred to the Hurona. Great heroism was displayed by Mrs Dobson, a stewardess of the Mongolian, who refused to leave the ship until the third boat put out. In this a man who was pulling became suddenly ill, and Mrs. Dobson took the oars herself, and pulled the party to the Hurona.

THE OUTING MAGAZINE.

An interesting light is shed upon a very timely topic in The Outing Magazine for October by F. P. Lahm, of the United States army, who writes upon "Ballooning and Aerial Navigation." He reviews the history of ballooning in order to make the reader appreciate the importance which this new method of locomotion is coming to mean to science and to the different governments. "The Country Fair," by David Lansing, is an attractive illustrated account of a quaint institution that is now practically passed away.

Stewart Edward White, who has made a close and exhaustive study of Western social and industrial life, contributes to the October number the first of a series of papers on "Round-up Days."

Vance Thompson contributes some "Yarns on the Forward Deck." "The Little Outdoor Stories" are: "Jones, the Traveller," "Bill's Bear," "The Magic Bass," and "Picking the Spitzenbergs." Lynn Tew Sprague has an article entitled, "General Isaac Shelby, the First Governor of Kentucky."

"The Titian Beard of Wilkins," by Ralph D. Paine, is an article funny in its absurdities. "Hunting the Wild Honey Bee" has a timely and pleasant flavor. "When Life Is Worth Living" is an Outing article inspiring in its outdoor philosophy. Another instalment of Mr. Emerson Hough's story, "The Way of a Man," is given.

"Some Rattlesnake Fallacies," by Francis Metcalfe, and "Making the Country Home Ready for Winter," are among the departmental articles. In his "View Point," Caspar Whitney, the editor, reviews the lawn tennis season.

CRUISERS AT 'FRISCO.

Admiral Dayton's Squadron Has Arrived at the Bay City.

San Francisco, Sept. 7.—The first division of the Pacific fleet, the foreguard of the vessels which are to assemble in Pacific Coast waters, steamed through Golden Gate at sunrise this morning. The four armored cruisers passed the Heads in file formation, led by Rear Admiral Dayton's flagship West Virginia, then came the Colorado, the Maryland and Pennsylvania.

The arrival of the four sister ships marked the end of the 36,000 miles cruise, which began at Newport, R. I., last September.

Admiral Swineburne put off from his flagship, the cruiser Charleston, as soon as the West Virginian moored. The band struck up a lively air as Admiral Swineburne stepped onto the quarterdeck to greet the commander-in-chief. The brief formalities over, the two admirals shook hands warmly and at once retired for an official conference relative to the departure of the cruisers California, Charleston and St. Louis for target practice at Magdalen Bay.

San Francisco and California are keenly alive to the importance of the arrival of Admiral Dayton's squadron, as signalling the coming mobilization in these waters of the greater part of the American navy. It is regarded as an official notification to the world that the central government recognized the huge growth of the industrial and commercial life of the west and the vast part the Pacific Coast is destined to play in securing a fair share of the trade of the Orient.

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KIPLING'S TOUR.

Celebrated Author Will Pay a Visit to the Coast.

Quebec, Sept. 27.—Rudyard Kipling, the celebrated author, and Mrs. Kipling were among the distinguished passengers on board the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Ireland, which arrived here this morning. They left by special train for Montreal shortly after the arrival of the steamer.

Montreal, Sept. 27. — Rudyard Kipling accompanied by Mrs. Kipling, arrived here this afternoon. In an interview Mr. Kipling said his trip to Canada was for pleasure only. He intended remaining in Montreal two or three weeks, and then going through to the Pacific coast.

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OUR FIRST SUCCESSFUL FAIR.

After a long fight against adverse circumstances and influences Victoria's annual exhibition has this year proved a magnificent success. It may safely be anticipated that when accounts are balanced a handsome surplus will be shown to the credit of the association. The faith of those who counselled after a temporary lapse in the series of shows, that the effort to achieve success be renewed, has thus been fully justified. The struggle has been a severe and a costly one. It was borne heavily upon the resources of private individuals and upon the municipal treasury. But fairs, once they gain a reputation for achievement, have overcome the most difficult obstacle to permanency. The hearts of the management become cheered; determination strengthened. This year's fair was a good one in most departments. But it by no means approached the ideals Secretary Smart and his assistants cherish. It was weak in several respects. Industrially it fell very far short of what it ought to be. The leading manufacturing establishments of British Columbia did not take all the interest in it they ought to have taken considering the opportunities for advertising their wares it afforded. We look for an improvement in this respect next year. We doubt not that immediately the business of the present year has been straightened out efforts will be taken to effect the necessary reformation. Necessarily some years must elapse ere the Victoria Fair can be brought to the state of perfection gained by such old-established institutions of the kind as they have in Eastern Canada and in other more populous communities, where all the resources at command are so much greater. Nevertheless Vancouver Island has entered upon her growing time. The improvement in methods of farming in all its branches in recent years in the districts tributary to the city has been next to marvellous. Probably there is no better stock to be found in any part of the world in proportion to the extent of the agricultural community than is to be found here. And this is not greatly to be wondered at. In what portion of the world are the conditions more favorable to the cultivation of good stock? We ought to have a good exhibition here—an exhibition which will attract exhibitors and visitors from all sections of Canada. That is the goal of our ambition—and we venture to predict that before many years pass we shall have attained it.

BLAMING THEIR LEADER.

The Times made a statement to the effect that Mr. Borden's visit to the West would not create a ripple on the political waters. We find now that it is necessary to qualify that statement. The visit of the Conservative leader has created a ripple, but not in British Columbia. It has made considerable commotion on the vast prairies. But it is not the kind of sensation that will be a source of satisfaction to either the leader or those who fondly hope he is going to carry the country at the next Dominion general election. The fact is the leader's obvious lack of determination or definiteness has exasperated Conservatives of Manitoba and the other prairie provinces in the highest degree. The Premier of Manitoba, who was expected to join Premier McBride in the great campaign from which so much was expected, has declined to take the stump, and has given his reasons therefor with somewhat discomfiting frankness. He has had his finger upon public opinion in the West, and the movements of the pulse have not been such as to justify him in giving up his position of a provincial prime minister for the uncertain dignity of a front seat on the opposition side of the House of Commons at Ottawa. In point of fact Mr. Roblin knows that the Laurier government is not only going to retain a majority of the present constituencies on the prairies; in the next House there will be ten new seats, and the administration will carry every one of them, according to authorities who are very capable of estimating the political situation. We feel sorry for Mr. Borden, with some of his leading newspapers in the East plainly intimating that he cannot win with the following behind him and his most prominent supporters in the West giving such unmistakable evidence of want of confidence in his leadership. Conservative leaders do not realize that while leadership is important to the success of a party, that there is something of still greater importance in which the party is lacking. Until they give evidence of the possession of some higher desire than the mere possession of office, their case will remain hopeless. But they will place responsibility for failure upon their leader. They have already done that; and we fear it is the fate of Mr. Borden to walk the plank.

THE ASIATIC PROBLEM.

The London Times chides the people of British Columbia for the narrow and circumscribed views they take on the subject of Oriental immigration and pleads eloquently, almost convincingly, for the "grand Imperial ideal." Our contemporary argues, and argues with reason, that when the people of any section of the Empire are carried into excesses by their local prejudices, they simply have no conception of the troubles they are in danger of creating for any government which may be entrusted with the management of complicated Imperial affairs. Great Britain as a world power has relations of the most important and also most delicate character with the Asiatic power, Japan. She has a great dependency in India, comprising hundreds of millions of people, a people cherishing possibly secret ambitions to be free from a foreign yoke, however lightly that yoke may bear upon their unwilling necks. Within the past year there have been murmurings arising from hundreds of millions of Indians. We have been told there is danger of another uprising here. There is no doubt steps have been taken by the Imperial government in anticipation, however remote, of such a contingency. The Times points out that the action of the Vancouver rabble is not likely to make easier or more pleasant to bear the burden of Imperial responsibility in India or to improve Britain's relations with Japan. There is no doubt that there is justification for what our great London contemporary says. But neither is there any doubt that local influences and prejudices are important factors in the internal affairs of Great Britain herself. The ego is just as well developed in the mind of the average British elector as it is in the mind of the average British Columbian elector. Self-preservation is the first law of nature, we have often been told, and we know it is true from all our experiences with the animal world, whether that world be high or low. The colonies believe the people of the Mother Country have displayed narrowness and prejudice in their attitude toward the important question of Imperial unity or Imperial trade relations. On this issue the colonial representatives have received but little sympathy or support from the representatives of the Imperial government or from the electors themselves. British constituencies by their verdict at the polls have practically declared their belief that preferential trade would prove ruinous to the industries which are the lifeblood of the nation. They will have none of it. The people of British Columbia believe that if the invasion of this province by Asiatics were tolerated the ultimate result would be disastrous to the white population. Selfishness, we admit, is the dominant factor in all these propositions. Under the circumstances, we cannot admit that the London Times or the Briton for whom it speaks is in a position to cast a single stone at British Columbia.

The Toronto Globe, a newspaper which in Canada occupies a position analogous to that of the London Times in Great Britain, a few days ago published an article dealing with the situation in British Columbia. It may be taken as expressing the views of all classes of moderates in this country, and is therefore worthy of being quoted in full. The Globe says:

"It is now quite evident that there is a strong and determined feeling in British Columbia in favor of keeping that Province a white man's country. It is also clear that this will be achieved and the chief cause of discontent allayed by a fair and honest adherence to the spirit and letter of existing agreements on the part of Japan. That nation has undertaken to limit emigration to Canada to one a month from each of the local districts, making a total of less than 500 per year. Although this is a large acquisition of a foreign race for a sparsely-settled Province like British Columbia, it would not be sufficient to cause industrial deterioration or provoke racial antagonism. The only need is a strict adherence to this agreement, and that our authorities are prepared to require. It is not intimated or suspected that Japan has any intention of acting otherwise than in good faith, or has any intention of evading the agreement honestly made. The breach occurred through the neglect of Japan to supervise or control the movements of her subjects sojourning in or travelling by way of other Pacific Ocean points. All that is necessary now is the supervision of this migration by Japan or Canada. Japan issues passports for some 500 Japanese a year to go to Canada. All that is necessary is freely to permit those who have passports to enter the Dominion, and to reject those who have not. This will merely be carrying out the letter and spirit of the existing agreement into which Japan voluntarily entered and to which that nation is evidently willing to adhere. The Canadian authorities would be quite within their rights in rejecting Japanese without passports, and directing their return to the port from which they sailed.

"Discussions at the Winnipeg Trades and Labor Congress have made it clear that the weakness of Canada's case lies in the antagonism of class interests. The employing classes who want cheap labor are not deeply worried over such distant problems as the yellow peril. They are promoting the influx of Japanese, sometimes openly, but generally in secret, on account of the strong antagonistic feeling. The Japanese authorities know this, and so do all Canadians who are familiar with local politics in the West. Premier McBride is accused of playing to the gallery by passing the Natal Act and then secretly advising Lieutenant-Governor Dunsmuir to withhold his assent. The Premier says he did not so advise the Lieutenant-Governor. This leaves it incumbent on His Honor to explain to the Secretary of State, Hon. R. W. Scott, why he withheld his assent. And the public are entitled to an explanation from Hon. Mr. Scott. The other side of the shield is shown in the report of a man, said to be in good financial standing in Vancouver, who bought several hundred revolvers in the East for distribution among the white residents of the western city. This coupled with the news of over 5,000 new and prospective arrivals at Vancouver, shows that those who still persist in promoting further violations of the spirit of the agreement are courting serious danger. There is an agreement and a fair adherence to it will obviate all cause of friction or antagonism. Japan has protested her willingness to abide by its terms. It now remains to secure the acceptance of an arrangement by which all Japs not authorized by their government to land in Canada will be returned to the foreign port from which they sailed."

John D. Rockefeller has only been making about one thousand per cent. on his oil investments. Yet the American people, who by their fiscal system have placed the opportunity in the hands of the Oil King, throw all the blame upon him and the courts proceed against and fine him. Is Mr. Rockefeller the only man in the United States or in the world, who would make the best possible use of his opportunities? Do we not usually commend men for doing such things as improving their talents?

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A London paper says a whole army of cooks and stewards is required to feed the hungry on the steamship Lusitania, making use of the following articles: 18,000 pieces of silver, 11,800 knives, 50,000 pieces of crockery, 16,000 gallons of milk, 78,000 pounds of flour, 6,000 pounds of fish, 125,000 pounds of meat, 3,000 pounds of tea, 50,000 eggs, 9,000 pounds of butter, 10,000 pounds of bacon and ham, 10,000 fowls, 45,000 oysters, 1,000 pounds of turtle, 2,000 pounds of plums.

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The New York Yacht Club has decided that if the America Cup is to be sailed for at all, all contests must take place under the old conditions, imposing an impossible handicap upon the challenger. If Sir Thomas Lipton is a wise man he will abandon his proposed challenge. The New York club is evidently determined to keep the America Cup. Let it keep it. In a few years the world will have forgotten all about it.

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What Other People Think

THE QUESTION OF DOMESTIC HELP.

To the Editor:—I would like to make a few remarks on the letter of Mr. Windsor in your issue of 27th inst. First, let me congratulate you on the policy of your paper in allowing all sides to be heard, even on the Chinese question, such policy being in marked contrast to the position taken by the Colonist, which paper seems to be in mortal dread that if it publishes the views of the majority of its readers it might suffer the loss of a few dollars in its advertising columns.

Mr. Windsor says the labor unions have not yet got the politicians in their pockets, but he evidently believes that they soon will be.

It is evident that the politicians of both parties allow too much weight to the noise made by the agitators who pose as the leaders of the labor unions. That this is so is clearly proved by the results of elections. When so-called labor candidates are in the field it is seldom that such candidates save their deposits, in spite of the fact that as a rule there is a three-cornered fight, which shows that when the workingman goes to the poll he votes as he pleases, and not at the dictates of his self-made leaders.

I believe that any candidate who would come out on a straight platform for the reduction of the head tax would be elected, as he would secure the common sense vote from both parties as well as a large vote from the thinking workingmen. Mr. Windsor writes as though he believed that it would be an advantage to Victoria if all who like to live in beautiful homes were driven out, and hints that the merchants would be in better condition in such a case. If that is so, you should call off your Tourist Association and advertisers generally from their efforts to attract residents, but I doubt whether the average man will follow Mr. Windsor's economics so far. Mr. Windsor and others like him have made so much noise that the business man has been made to think the views so loudly given out must voice the popular will.

The business man does not wish to be placed on the "unfair list," and so he seems to agree with the views of Mr. Windsor and his noisy friends.

It seems the important question is, are we to have domestic help, or is Victoria to suffer the loss of her chief glory, her beautiful homes?

A NEWCOMER.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 28th, 1907.

MR. WRIGHT REPLIES.

To the Editor:—At last a champion appears against the Chinese labor in the person of Mr. J. A. Windsor. It is a pity that he allowed his strong force of humor to entirely occupy his letter to the exclusion of any argument whatever on the question at issue. He starts by doubting the accuracy of Mr. Nimmo's statsments re the condition of affairs in South Africa. I may say that from the Natal Mercury and the Port Elizabeth Advertiser, which a friend occasionally sends me, and especially from the letters of another friend in Johannesburg, I am satisfied that Mr. Nimmo is correct and knows what he is talking about, and Mr. Windsor's invitation to wade through General Botha's speeches to get at the truth is quite unnecessary. The General is a politician as well as a soldier, and I have no doubt he knows South Africa as well as our own politicians know British Columbia, and yet when they go making speeches, although they know full well that British Columbia is suffering for want of Chinese labor, they stand up, look fierce, and say that they are unalterably opposed to the head tax being removed. They give no tenable reasons, but they know, and everyone else knows, that if they did not take that stand the irreconcilable labor unionists, who hold the balance of power at the polls, would see to it that such an imprudent politician was left at home next election. Mr. Windsor next proceeds to supply information about linoleum on kitchen floors not requiring scrubbing. I must confess that this is news to me, and probably it will prove a useful hint to housekeepers and bachelors. I only wish Mr. Windsor had given me this tip in my bachelor days, when I was struggling to make a start in my little shack on the ranch. It would have saved many a stiff back, and not a Chinaman's back either. This I can assert—with truth, as Mr. Windsor says when he goes on to declare that the tradesmen prefer the labor unionists' accounts to that of the man in the big house. I ran a store myself for ten years, and such was not my experience. I am afraid some grocer has been soft-soaping Mr. Windsor, or rather Windsor soaping him. Then Mr. Windsor gets after me with both feet because, as he says, I have acquired some valuable timber, and implies that there is something wrong in that. I only know of one way of getting timber, and that is by buying it in the open market as I did, and I can assure Mr. Windsor that I shall be more than pleased to let him have all the timber I have at the current market price. Then, if he could not get a Chinaman to exploit it, owing to that tax, why he could cut it himself. The Colonist says that sawing wood is good for people. Mr. Windsor lastly discovers a wonderful mare's nest in that Vancouver mill, in which (I make out) he insinuates I am interested. No, thank you, Mr. Windsor. No proposition where many laborers are required for "little Willie," as long as the labor problem in British Columbia is in its present shape. I am accustomed to taking chances, but I would hesitate a long time before I put capital into an industry in this country where the agitator and the walking delegate would have more to say in the running of my business than I would have myself.

ANDREW WRIGHT.

Dalmahoy, St. Charles street, Victoria, Sept. 28th, 1907.

SECRETARY TAFT'S TOUR.

Welcomed to Yokohama—Will Be Received by the Japanese Emperor.

Yokohama, Japan, Sept. 28.—Secretary Taft arrived here early this morning on board the steamer Minnesota from Seattle, passing all the signal stations without being sighted. The various reception committees and members of the American embassy who had come here from Tokio to welcome Mr. Taft, were aroused by runners. Secretary and Mrs. Taft and Thos. J. O'Brien, the new American ambassador to Japan, and Mrs. O'Brien, who are early risers, met the visitors from the shore in the main saloon of the Minnesota at 7.30, while the United States cruiser Chattanooga, anchored in the bay, saluted Secretary Taft's flag as the secretary of war, which was hoisted at the foremast. Secretary Taft, after a brief consultation with the reception committee and others, accepted a programme for his entertainment, but declined to participate in any function to-day or Sunday. On Monday the secretary will be received in audience by the Japanese Emperor, which function will be followed by luncheon at the palace. Count Hayashi, foreign minister, will give a dinner in Secretary Taft's honor on Monday, followed by a reception by the American residents of Yokohama on Tuesday.

GRAND DUKE FREDERICK DEAD.

Constance, Grand Duchy of Baden, Sept. 28.—Grand Duke Frederick, of Baden, died to-day of intestinal inflamation. He was unconscious for many hours before his death.

Throughout the night cabinet ministers and court officials had waited in an apartment adjoining the death chamber, for the end to come. At the bedside when he expired were the Grand Duchess, Princess Louise of Prussia, the hereditary Grand Duke Frederick of Baden, Prince Max of Baden, brother of the Grand Duke; the Crown Princess of Sweden, and others.

KILLED BY LIVE WIRE.

Dundas, Ont., Sept. 28.—Samuel Sutton, about 60 years of age, was killed by a live wire while walking down the main street last night.

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Portage la Prairie, Sept. 28.—At a meeting of the shareholders of the London Fence Company it was decided to rebuild the factory at once.

REGINA'S NEW BUILDINGS.

Regina, Sept. 28.—Four hundred and twelve permits have been issued here to date for buildings which will cost over one million dollars.

A census of Egypt is being taken. In 1897 the population was less than 10,000,000 and now it is thought to be over 13,000,000.

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—The Metropolitan Sunday school is holding its annual rally to-morrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. A good programme is being prepared, and Rev. C. Burnett, of the Central Baptist church, will deliver a special address to the children. Parents and friends are requested to be present.

—Owing to the fact that the company presenting "The Squaw Man" at the Victoria theatre will leave for Vancouver by the steamer sailing at midnight, the play on Monday evening will begin sharp at 8 o'clock. Patrons of the theatre are asked to bear this in mind, and thus avoid confusion.

—In a bulletin just issued by the Dominion government as a guide to the public in the purchase of their fertilizers, it is shown that the product of the Victoria Chemical Company is in every case up to guarantee. The samples were taken from the samples offered by the different salesmen who handle the goods.

—Notice has been given by the city authorities that the garbage scow is now being operated from the Telegraph street wharf, and all ecavengers are required to take offensive garbage to the wharf. The scavengers are asked to separate dry garbage and to unload it at the city's heap on the James Bay flats.

—Some apples of remarkable size have been brought down from Rivers Inlet, 350 miles north of Victoria, which were grown by S. Grant, a canneryman of that place. One of them measured thirteen inches in circumference, and weighed nearly sixteen ounces. The apples are of the Bismarck variety and from quite a young tree. Mr. Grant has also raised crabs and berries of several varieties.

—The death occurred pesterday morning of Mrs. Jane Whetstone, wife of Abraham Whetstone of Springfield avenue. Mrs. Whetstone came from Yorkshire, England, in 1831, and settled near Toronto, the only survivor of the family now being Johnson Kidd, Listowel, her brother. The deceased lived in this city about seventeen years, marrying her now bereaved husband on the first year of her arrival. The funeral will take place on Sunday from the Victoria West Methodist church at 2.25 p. m.

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—Fred M. Tatham was granted a permit yesterday by the city building inspector for the erection of a five-roomed frame dwelling on Grahame street, at a cost of $1,500.

—There will be a practice of the Victoria Rugby Football Club at Oak Bay athletic grounds at 10.30 to-morrow morning. All old players are asked to turn out as well as new Rugby players who would like to participate.

—Under the auspices of the Salvation Army, those who would like to have the opportunity of securing female help for domestic work, will be able to do so in a few days, when 50 girls from the Old Country are expected in the province. City folk who desire to employ any of these girls are requested to apply to Captain Traviss at the Salvation Army quarters, No. 8 Amelia street, for particulars.

—A meeting will be held in the First Presbyterian church school room on Monday evening at 8 o'clock for the purpose of organizing a musical and literary association in connection with the church. After the organization business is disposed of there will be a social time for all present, when a short programme will be rendered and refreshments served. Anyone interested will be cordially welcomed, as it is not intended to restrict the membership to those connected with the church.

—An exhibit at the fair which the Times has so far failed to mention is the slate roofing of the Pacific Slate Company. The quarry from which these slates come is situated on Jervis Inlet, about eighty miles north of Vancouver. The product is equal to the best Welsh slate and has been used very largely in both Victoria and Vancouver. The drill hall and the Roman Catholic cathedral are both roofed with slates from this quarry, and they have kept their color splendidly. Thirty-six men are at work at Jervis Inlet with eight trimming machines. About $4,500 has already been spent there, and it is proposed to supply bath slabs, billiard table beds, and stair treads.

—There was a pleasant function at the Vancouver-Quadra Masonic lodge last evening, the occasion being an official visit from Grand Master Frank Bowser, who is now making a tour of the Island lodges. There was a splendid attendance of lodge members and visiting brethren, and after the more formal courtesies of the lodge had been observed, the company sat down to a delightful banquet. During the speech-making which followed the Grand Master complimented the Vancouver-Quadra lodge on the fine showing it had made during the year, and saw the promise of another lodge in Victoria, in the progress that was now taking place. This evening the Grand Master will visit the lodge at Duncans, returning here to-morrow evening.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS.

Officers Have Qualified and Are Confirmed in Ranks.

The following orders have been issued by Col. Hall, commanding the Fifth Regiment:

The following extract from G. O. No. 144, of August, 1907, is published for general information: "The undermentioned provisionally appointed officers having qualified themselves for their appointment are confirmed in their rank from the dates set opposite their respective names: 5th Regiment, C. A., Lieut. M. H. Doble, 25th June, 1907; Lieut. A. J. Brace, 25th June, 1907."

The regular monthly office will be held on Wednesday next, Oct. 2nd.

The regular monthly meeting of the officers' mess will be held on Thursday next, the 3rd October, at 8.30 p. m.

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Party of Grand Trunk Pacific Officials Expected Here.

The party of Grand Trunk Pacific officials, who are now visiting the coast, is expected in Victoria to-morrow evening, and will take up quarters at the Driard.

Among the visitors are C. M. Hays, president, and F. W. Morse, vice-president and general manager; B. H. Kelliher, chief engineer; Alfred W. Smithers of London, a director of the company; H. Deer, London, assistant secretary of the G. T.; A. B. Atwater, Detroit, assistant to the president and manager of the Grand Trunk Western lines; D'Arcy Tate, assistant solicitor G. T. P.; G. A. MacNicholl, Vancouver, purchasing agent. The party also includes the private secretaries to the head officials of the G. T. P. Co.

The visitors, who have been looking over the proposed terminals of the new transcontinental line at Prince Rupert, are expected in Vancouver to-morrow morning on the Princess Royal, and if the steamer is on time, will make connections with the steamer for Victoria, arriving here in the evening.

While in the city the Grand Trunk officials will confer with the local government with respect to the settlement of questions appertaining to provincial interests in the Prince Rupert lands.

—A specially good programme has been arranged for the meeting to be held in the reading room of the W. C. T. U. Mission on Yates street, this evening, at which the Victoria West, and Triumph lodges of Good Templars will have charge. Rev. J. P. Hicks will officiate as chairman.

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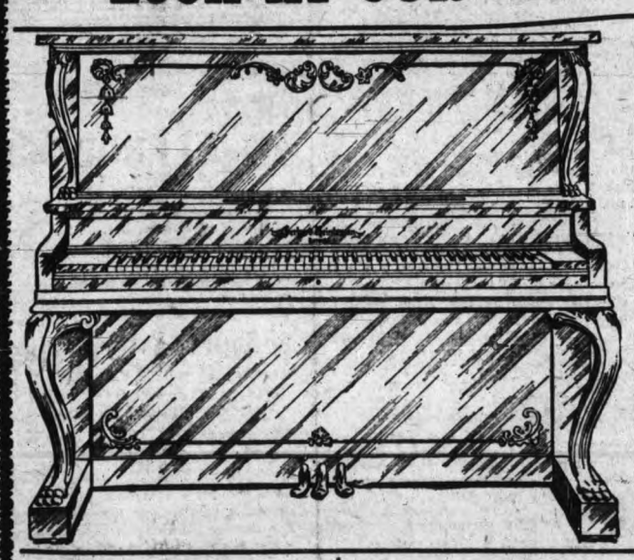

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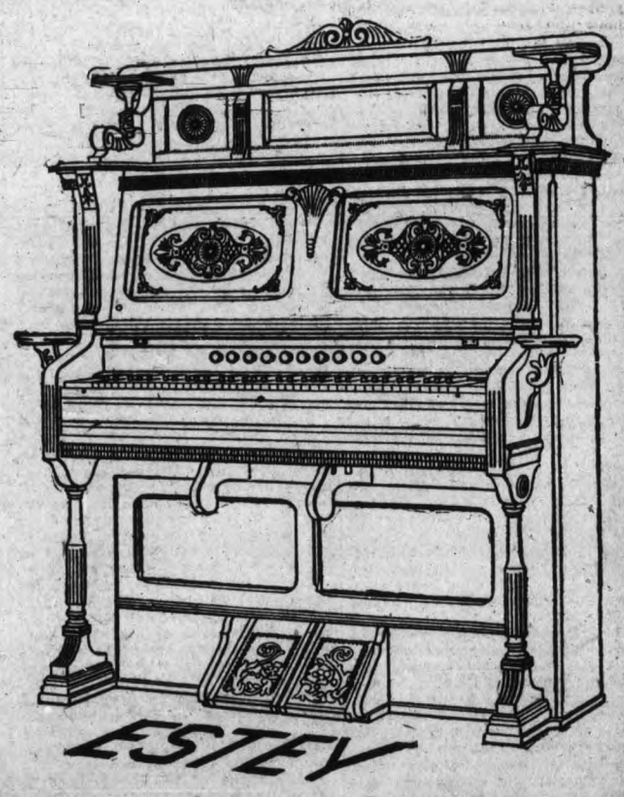

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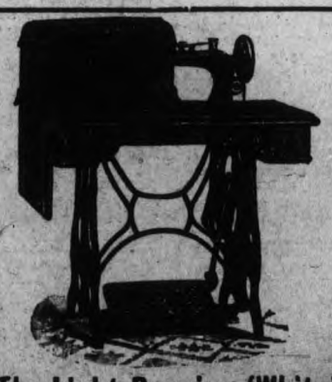

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ANOTHER DAY'S GOOD RACING

TRACK RECORD WAS LOWERED YESTERDAY

Mabel Hollander Set a Standard For the Pacific North West Circuit.

Although the attendance at the races yesterday was not as large as on Thursday, there was a big crowd on hand, and lively interest was displayed in the five events on the programme. The feature of the afternoon was the splendid performance of Mabel Hollander, an added starter to the morning entries, who lowered the track record for the half-mile by 4-5 of a second. On Thursday Betsey broke the track record of 51 by 1-5 of a second, thus smashing a record that had stood for ten years on the Pacific Northwest circuit. Yesterday Mabel Hollander, in the non-winners' race, made the half-mile in 50 flat, a truly remarkable performance. There were eight starters in the race and the finish was an excellent one.

The track was in the best of condition for fast time, and the card for the afternoon proved an excellent one. The five races pulled off were all good and fast time was made by all the winners. Sandy Ned, owned by Caldwell & Speed of this city, won the first event, the gentlemen's driving race, in two straight heats, the times being 2.39 1-4 and 2.40.

In the second race, one mile, for the A. B. C. Challenge cup, Kamloops was scratched, leaving the race to Camaletta, Fancy Free and Max. The horses finished in the order named, Camaletta winning from Fancy Free after hanging behind for over half a mile. Just before the grand-stand Camaletta forged ahead and beat Fancy Free all the way around the track, coming home nearly three lengths ahead. Max was close up to the second horse, Fancy Free beating him by a length.

The third race was a great struggle between Nettie Bumpo and Dr. Scharff, although the last-named got away from the tape with a good lead of four lengths or more. Ethel Barrymore hung on the winner for half a mile, but Nettie Bumpo, the favorite, passed her on the turn and made a big effort to catch the leader. Dr. Scharff had too much of a lead for the fancy, however, and won by a length. Ethel Barrymore was third, two lengths separating her from Nettie Bumpo.

The fourth race, one mile, the Prince of Wales handicap, was the best race of the day. Rudabeck carried 119 pounds against the 109 of Katie Bell and May Holliday, with Callis carrying only 96. From the start the horses hung together in a bunch, Katie Bell leading from Rudabeck with May Holliday close up. On the second turn Rudabeck crept ahead and held the lead until the finish. It was anybody's race for the first half-mile, but Callis dropped behind on the long stretch. Rudabeck won by a length, with Katie Bell second, from May Holliday by two lengths. Callis was away behind at the finish.

Mable Hollander and Lady Mirthful were added to the list of starters in the last race, the half-mile consolation event for non-winners. The first-named was immediately fancied for a place with Lady Mirthful, a hot favorite, but the race finished a surprise for everybody, Mabel Hollander winning by two lengths in the record time of 50 flat. Gerolette was third a length behind Lady Mirthful. The track record set by Betsy on Thursday was lowered by four-fifths of a second.

John Boswell handled the starting barrier yesterday and gave general satisfaction. Every start was a good one, and the usual complaints of the losing bettors were noticeable by their absence.

Following is a summary of the results:

First Race.

Gentlemen's driving race. Cup and purse, $200. To be divided, $100, $60 and $40; trotting and pacing; best two in three, driven by owner, who must be an amateur driver. Horses must be owned three months by competitor prior to the race; must not have competed in any but gentlemen's driving races this season or entered in any other event this meet, and have no record. Hobbles barred.

Caldwell and Speed's Sandy Ned (Caldwell)	1 1
Russ Humber's Victoria Girl (Humber)	2 3
J. R. Jennings' Christmas (Jennings)	4 2
William Steel's Sampson (Steel)	3 4
C. C. McCafferty's Charlie Mac (McCafferty)	5 5

Time, 2.39¼, 2.40.

Second Race.

The A. B. C. Challenge Cup and purse, $200. One mile, open to British Columbia bred horses. The A. B. C. Challenge Cup is presented by the American Brewing Company, through their agents, Turner, Beeton & Co., Ltd., Victoria, B. C., to be won three times by the same horse or the same owner.

Finish.	Horse and Jockey.	Post Betting.
1.	Carmaletta, 119 (Williams)	1—4
2.	Fancy Free, 124 (Patterson)	2—1
3.	Max, 119 (Taylor)	3—1

Kamloops scratched.
Time, 1.51.

Third Race.

Citizen's purse, $150. Six furlongs.

Finish.	Horse and Jockey.	Post Betting.
1.	Dr. Scharff, 124 (Patterson)	4—1
2.	Nattie Bumppo, 119 (Taylor)	2—5
3.	Ethel Barrymore, 119 (Willis)	12—1
4.	Byron Rose, 119 (Pendergast)	2—1
5.	Laura E., 112 (Jackson)	10—1

Rosemary D. and Tejon scratched.
Time, 1.16 4-5.

Fourth Race.

The Prince of Wales Handicap. Purse $200. One mile.

Finish.	Horse and Jockey.	Post Betting.
1.	Rudabeck, 119 (Taylor)	2—5
2.	Katie Bell, 109 (Jackson)	3—1
3.	May Holliday, 109 (Pendergast)	2—1
4.	Callis, 96 (Young)	3—1

Time, 1.45 1-5.

Fifth Race.

Extra for non-winners. Purse, $100. Half mile.

Finish.	Horse and Jockey.	Post Betting.
1.	Mable Hollander, 113 (Goodchild)	5—1
2.	Lady Mirthful, 119 (Kersten)	2—3
3.	Gerolette, 119 (Pendergast)	6—1
4.	Rosemary D., 119 (Jackson)	5—2
5.	Miss Turtle, 113 (Willis)	8—1
6.	David Boland, 119 (Young)	2—1
7.	Rona, 119 (Coll)	5—1

Time, .50. Track record.

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Success Continues to Attend Work in All Countries Where Chapters Exist.

Washington, Sept. 27.—Interest in the International Convention of the Brotherhood of St. Andrews was heightened to-day by the presence of Bishop Ingram, who is the guest of President Roosevelt. The bishop is on the programme for to-morrow and is to be a speaker at the open air meeting on Sunday afternoon on the grounds of the Cathedral of Saint Peter and Paul, when the foundation stone of the edifice will be laid.

To a committee headed by Archbishop Nuttall, of the West Indies, who called at the White House, President Roosevelt expressed regret that owing to the pressure of public business before departing on his western trip, he would be unable to attend the convention. He, however, extended to the delegates an invitation to call at the White House to-morrow afternoon.

Among the prominent speakers at the general conference was A. G. Alexander, president of the Brotherhood of St. Andrews in Canada, who discussed the importance of greater definiteness of purpose in Bible classes. Rev. T. W. Powell, of Eglington, Ont., at the meeting for prayer, spoke on the "Joy of Service." An address on the "Call to the Ministry," was made by Rev. A. S. Lloyd, of New York, secretary of the board of missions.

The Council of the Brotherhood in the United States in its report submitted to-day says: "Our relations with the Brotherhood in other countries continues cordial and helpful. Applications have been made to aid in strengthening the Brotherhood in Japan and to establish it in Mexico, China and Brazil. There are 46 more probationary chapters to-day than one year ago. More dormant chapters also have been revived. The treasurer's report will show a slight increase in our total receipts. There has been a steady improvement in all work undertaken by the Brotherhood boys."

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YACHTING.

THE AMERICA CUP.

London, Sept. 27.—The Royal Irish Yacht Club, shortly, possibly to-morrow, will cable a reply to the New York Yacht Yacht Club: "Resolution declining Sir Thomas Lipton challenge for the America Cup." This dispatch will further intimate under what conditions Sir Thomas is prepared to send another challenge. The decision was reached after a long conversation with Wm. Fife, the designer, who as stated by Sir Thomas Lipton, in his interview yesterday, positively refused to design a yacht to race for the cup under the old rules of the New York Club.

Fife, however, is willing to design a 90-footer for that purpose under the Universal rules, "which have been in use in America for three or four years."

Fife is still in London consulting with Sir Thomas Lipton, but he will not be interviewed. To Sir Thomas to-day he reiterated his former decision that it being futile to attempt to "lift" the cup with a freak boat, which would have to be sailed across the Atlantic, he, under no circumstances, would design such a vessel.

Sir Thomas agrees with this view, but he authorized the statement that he is ready to build a 90-footer under the new American rule. After the receipt of the cable dispatch from the Royal Irish Yacht Club, it will be for the New York Yacht Club to say whether there will be a race in 1908.

THE RING.

VICTORY OF GANS.

Los Angeles, Cal., Sept. 27.—Joe Gans, the light weight champion, won another victory before the Pacific Athletic Club to-night when he received the decision over Jimmy Burns (George Memsic) of Chicago, at the end of the twentieth round. Burns showed class in a hundred ways, but Gans was in his old-time form and fought with all his accustomed cleverness.

The decision by Referee James J. Jeffries met with the approval of the 5,000 persons in the auditorium. Up to the 17th round Burns held the champion about even but after that Gans beat his opponent down.

The following is a description of the last four rounds:

Round 17—Gans held Burns at arm's length and shot his right to the mouth. Burns was bewildered but strong.

Round 18—Gans jabbed his right to his opponent's face. Burns landed his left to the stomach but was weakened by a hard left to the face.

Round 19.—Gans put in a hard right to the jaw. Burns kept swinging, but could not connect.

Round 20—Burns forced Gans to jump away from his wild rushes. In the last minute Gans landed a right with sickening force to the stomach which forced Jimmy to cling to Gans' glove to keep from falling.

RUGBY FOOTBALL.

NEW CLUB IN TRAINING.

The newly organized James Bay Rugby Club is determined to leave no stone unturned to annex the city championship. A further meeting for organization purposes was held last night at the club rooms, when it was decided that two teams, both a senior and a junior, should take part in the city games during the season.

A practice has been arranged to take place at Beacon Hill park to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock sharp. During the coming week training runs will be held from the club house on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, to enable the players to get into form for the championship game against Victoria on the 5th prox.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.

ESQUIMALT WINS.

Playing for the first time in an exhibition game at Work Point yesterday against the Garrison, the newly organized Esquimalt team showed that it was a good aggregation, winning from the soldiers by a score of 4 goals to nil. On yesterday's showing the Esquimalt team should be well in the running in the Victoria District League. The Esquimalt play Nanaimo to-morrow, travelling to the coal city by the morning train.

MISCELLANEOUS.

THE DOG DERBY.

The finals of the Dog Derby at the British Columbia Flid trials, held at Ladners on Thursday, resulted as follows:

First—St. Ive, owned by S. Christenson, of San Francisco.

Second—Kells Boy, owned by J. E. Terry, of Sacramento, and Tiberton, owned by E. C. Ford of San Francisco, were equal.

Third—Policy Boy, owned by J. W. Considine, of Seattle.

In the all-age class three of the six dogs selected for the finals belong to Vancouver men. The owners are: Messrs. Hutchison, Bryce and Abbott.

GOLF.

CANADA'S LADY CHAMPION.

Ottawa, Sept. 27.—Miss Thompson, of St. John, N. B., holder of the title, again won the woman's golf championship by defeating Miss Dick, of Toronto, in the finals of the tournament to-day, after an exciting game by one up. Miss Dick played a fine up-hill game.

GOOD RECORD.

Bank Clearings of Victoria Show High Percentage of Increase.

Bradstreet's report on bank clearings for the week ending Sept. 26th shows an aggregate of $2,478,083,000, as against $2,749,404,000 last week, and $2,870,211,000 in the corresponding week last year.

Canadian clearings for the week total $78,525,000, as against $83,228,000 last week and $72,951,000 in the same week last year. The following is the list of Canadian cities:

Montreal (inc. 10.6 p. c.)	$30,361,000
Winnipeg (dec. 5.6 p. c.)	9,949,000
Vancouver (inc. 59.9 p. c.)	4,374,000
Quebec (inc. 17.9 p. c.)	2,061,000
St. John (inc. 1.07 p. c.)	1,300,000
Victoria (inc. 33.2 p. c.)	1,034,000
Edmonton (inc. 27.2 p. c.)	728,000
Toronto (dec. 1.6 p. c.)	20,730,000
Ottawa (inc. 3.1 p. c.)	3,081,000
Halifax (inc. 10.4 p. c.)	1,692,000
Hamilton (inc. 13.6 p. c.)	1,635,000
London (inc. 3.5 p. c.)	1,120,000
Calgary (inc. 71.1 p. c.)	1,182,000

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BATTLESHIP AGROUND.

The battleship Commonwealth, belonging to the Channel fleet, went aground at Lamlash a few days ago, and is now in Devonport dockyard for repairs. With other ships of the Channel fleet, the Commonwealth was cruising last week in Scottish waters, with her headquarters at Lamlash, on the Clyde. She put to sea for gun practice, and, on returning to Lamlash harbor, ran on some rocks at the entrance to the channel. At the time she was steaming at a very moderate speed and the impact was not a particularly violent one, but the vessel stuck fast. Immediately the engines were reversed, the pumps were set working, and the ship's company were assembled on the quarter deck to lighten the pressure of the bows on the rocks. These measures, aided by the rising tide, were happily successful, and within half an hour the battleship came off stern first into deep water. All the watertight compartments were closed, and collision mats were placed under the apertures to check the inflow of water. Then, with the pumps continually going, no difficulty was experienced in keeping the water under. The whole of the double bottoms was full of water, and 1,400 tons of oil fuel which she carried was rendered practically useless. There is some question as to whether the rocks on which the Commonwealth struck are charted, but it is known that the channel by which she attempted to enter is a dangerous one at low tide. The commander-in-chief, Lord Charles Beresford, ordered the ship to execute such repairs as were necessary to ensure a safe passage, and then proceed to Devonport. It is feared that the damage is extensive. The Commonwealth is a most unfortunate ship. Only last spring she was in collision with the battleship Albermarle off Lagos, when a large hole was knocked in her port bow. She was afterwards laid up at Devonport for three months undergoing repairs, and was only commissioned in May last by Captain Browning, lately flag captain to the commander-in-chief at Devonport.

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YOUNG PEOPLE IN CONVENTION

CHRISTIAN WORK IS DISCUSSED BY THEM

Several Eminent Speakers Addressed the Endeavorers Yesterday Afternoon and Evening

The Christian Endeavor convention now in progress in this city, is a decided success. The delegates are faithful in attendance, eager to absorb all that is good and ready to take part in the discussions and business brought forward. In spite of the fine weather and Victoria's many other attractions, the sessions of yesterday afternoon and evening were well attended and the enthusiasm reached a very high point. Dr. Horsfall, of Seattle, was heard with delight and inspiration. In a racy and free style he talked of missionary methods and mixed with a good lot of rich common sense, there was that sparkle of humor that so pleases an audience and helps to hold the attention to the last.

The Rev. J. A. Doyle was heard to great advantage as he talked of what the Endeavorer owes to himself, and Mr. Van der Maaten's address on "The Endeavorer's Inspiration Point" was one of the most thoughtful and deeply spiritual addresses of the convention.

The afternoon session opened with a discussion of "The Tenth Legion," led by Rev. A. W. McLeod of Nanaimo. Twenty-five thousand of the Endeavor societies had agreed to give one-tenth of their income to the Lord. This was an Old Testament principle adapted to these New Testament times. They enjoyed more and therefore should give more than those of olden days. The greater responsibility should lead to more consecrated giving of the substance to the cause for which they stood. It was not enough to talk about these things and agree to the principle, but it was necessary also to live up to the principles they believed in. The best test of the Christian character was the use made of the means one enjoys.

The Rev. W. H. Barraclough, president of the New Westminster Union, dealt with the subject of the missionary forward movement. This movement, he said, was closely allied to the Tenth Legion, for if there was to be any forward movement there must be consecrated giving. The student volunteer movement led the way in the matter of advance along the line of Christian Missions. But the Christian Endeavor Society was not far behind, and was ready to respond to the call for greater activity. There must follow systematic giving, which was absolutely essential to the idea. In these days there was concentration of thought and energy in the idea of supporting one individual in the foreign field, and this gave impetus to the missionary idea. The speaker mentioned the fact that a plan was on foot to erect a Christian Endeavor building in Boston at the cost of $500,000, and he sincerely hoped that in four years' time the International C. E. convention might be held in that new building. Boston was to be the great Christian Endeavor centre, and from it should go out that missionary enthusiasm that would mean much for the advancement of Christ's kingdom.

Perhaps the most interesting item of a very interesting afternoon was the conference on Missionary Methods, conducted by Dr. Horsfall, of Seattle. The doctor opened the matter by a splendid talk on the need of adaptability in mission work. With incident and illustration the truth was forced home to the minds of the hearers, and as the speaker proceeded, it was seen that his grasp of the great subject was suberb. His illustrations came from all parts of the mission field, and his knowledge of the heathen races and their manners and customs was remarkable. He was not afraid to touch upon delicate ground, and introduced the question of the Yellow Peril that so vitally affected British Columbia as well as other parts of Western America. The danger to this country was not so much in the color of the man who came to dwell here as the fact that he was steeped in centuries of the darkest heathenism. That was why the Yellow Peril was a question for the missionary as much as for the politician. Give the Oriental the knowledge of Jesus Christ and the peril would be past. The great need of the present day was that Christians should be less selfish and be willing to sacrifice more for the cause they profess to love. In practical manner Dr. Horsfall went on to tell how to organize mission study classes and how to manage them when organized.

H. W. Davies of the Metropolitan League, Victoria, read an interesting paper on "The Patriots' League." This was a new part of the Endeavor work, and had for its object the purification of citizenship and national life. The speaker made a strong appeal for every Endeavorer to be in earnest regarding the welfare of his country, and urged all to help raise the standard of national life to its highest level.

It was very appropriate that a conference on "Citizenship" should follow this paper. The conference was led by Rev. S. J. Thompson of Centennial church, and was very generally participated in by the delegates. Some interesting experiences were related, and some practical methods advanced. This brought to a close the afternoon session.

Evening Meeting.

There was a large attendance at the evening meeting, and the choir of the Metropolitan church rendered good service in leading the song service, and by some well rendered anthems.

The Rev. J. A. Doyle spoke on "What the Endeavorer owes to himself." The question was answered in one sentence by the speaker saying that the individual owed it to himself to get and to be the very best possible. He developed the idea in a taking manner by saying that man owed it to himself to have the best body, the best brains, and the best business that it was possible for him to have. The training and control of the body, fitting it for the strenuous uses of the times, the education of the brain and the choice of a suitable and congenial business were necessary to the best success. Many failures of today came from the fact that the individual had been forced into the wrong calling. The world put the wrong values upon work, for one calling was just as sacred as another if the man was in the place where God meant him to be. The speaker then went on to say that man owed it to himself to make the best of his moral and spiritual nature. Moral fible, decision of character, cleanliness of life and good old-fashioned honesty were essential to him. He should give attention to that part of his nature which was akin to God, call it spiritual or anything you like. There was something in man that responded to the call of God that should be carefully guarded and developed. To do this the word of God must be studied, the habit of prayer cultivated and work earnestly undertaken for God and humanity. The address concluded with a heart to heart appeal to each Endeavorer to make the best of himself and to do the best he could for the world around him.

C. E. Van der Maaten, the man with the appropriate initials, "C. E.," was the next speaker. He had the Christian Endeavor movement strong upon his heart, and his address was replete with beautiful thought and forceful illustration. The subject was "The Christian Endeavorer's Inspiration Point." He spoke of his visit to Inspiration Point in the Yellowstone Park, and the feelings that came to him as he gazed upon the wonderful view spread out before him. From this illustration the speaker led his audience to the inspiration point of all Christians, the life of fellowship. This life led to clear relationships to God, to a life of peace for themselves, and to more earnest work for the world. The address was most thoughtful and was followed with close attention by the large audience. It left strong and beautiful thoughts in the minds of the hearers and was fitting conclusion to the day's work.

Open Air Meeting.

The meeting held on the street previous to the convention opening in the evening was addressed by Rev. A. W. McLeod of Nanaimo. A good programme of music was given.

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WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Sept. 28.—5 a. m.—The pressure is slowly increasing over the North Pacific slope, and fair weather is becoming general, with light to moderate winds, along the Coast. Showers have occurred on the Lower Mainland and in Kootenay, also in Southern Alberta and in Manitoba, elsewhere in the prairie provinces the weather is fine and frosty at night.

Forecasts.

For 36 hours ending 5 p. m. Sunday.

Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate northerly and easterly winds, generally fair, not much change in temperature.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate easterly winds, generally fair, not much change in temperature.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, 51; minimum, 49; wind, 2 miles E.; rain, trace; weather, cloudy.

New Westminster—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, 46; minimum, 46; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, .02; weather, clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 28.96; temperature, 52; minimum, 52; wind, calm; rain, .04; weather, cloudy.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, 42; minimum, 40; wind, 4 miles S. W.; rain, trace; weather, fair.

San Francisco—Barometer, 9.98; temperature, 56; minimum, 56; wind, 6 miles W.; weather, clear.

Port Simpson—Barometer, 29.94; temperature, 52; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles S.; rain, .02; weather, cloudy.

Edmonton—Barometer, 30.18; temperature, 26; minimum, 26; wind, calm; weather, fair.

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PERSONAL.

Mrs. Waldo Skillings, of Netwarva, Sask., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. J. McKee, of Oak Bay avenue, having decided to remain in Victoria, has taken up her residence on Oak Bay avenue.

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Frank Higgins returned last evening from a short business trip to Ladysmith and Nanaimo.

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W. J. McKeon, jr., left on Tuesday for Chicago to attend the Veterinary College in that city.

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Mrs. W. J. McKeon and Miss Jessie Fairfull returned from Seattle on Thursday.

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FAIR CLOSES THIS EVENING

(Continued from page 1).

of the live stock. It is reported that Mr. Mercer has sold a number of his horses to Victorians. This will be glad news, as the importation of such stock as the ones in question would certainly improve the already fine quality of the horses of the district.

The following are the winners in the stock judging competition yesterday, and the score of the competitors in each class:

Class over 21 years of age—1st prize, S. H. Shannon, Cloverdale, 213; 2nd prize, Jas. Turner, Ladner, 212; 3rd prize, Thos. Mackie, Port Guichon, 190; 4th prize, M. H. Doble, Victoria, 190; 5th prize, John Watt, Victoria, 185; 6th prize, J. T. Maynard, Chilliwack, 180.

Class under 21 years of age — 1st prize, Williford Maynard, Chilliwack, 225; 2nd prize, J. M. Morrison, Duncans, 215; 3rd prize, N. J. Shopland, Sidney, 188; 4th prize, Alex. Brethour, Sidney, 165; 5th prize, Neptune Grimmer, Pender Island, 135; 6th prize, Wynn Page, Matsqui, 130.

Heavy horses—T. J. Quick, Victoria, 90; Wynn Page, Matsqui, 80; James Lawrie, Ladner, 75; Jas. Turner, Ladner, 65; Duncan Montgomery, Port Guichon, 60; H. M. Vasey, Ladner, 60; J. T. Green, Ladner, 55; M. H. Doble, Victoria, 55; Alex. Brethour, Sidney, 55; J. M. Morrison, Duncan, 50.

Light horses—J. M. Morrison, Duncan, 80; Jas. Turner, Ladner, 77; Duncan Montgomery, Port Guichon, 45.

Beef cattle—N. J. Shopland, Sidney, 95; Williford Maynard, Chilliwack, 90; J. T. Maynard, Chilliwack, 75; H. M. Vasey, Ladner, 70; Jas. Turner, Ladner, 70; H. M. Doble, Victoria, 70; J. W. Brethour, Sidney, 70; Duncan Montgomery, Port Guichon, 70; W. M. Banford, Chilliwack, 65; J. W. Martindale, Victoria, 60; J. T. Green, Ladner, 57; S. Wheeler, Westholme, 55; J. W. Pimlott, Victoria, 55; Jas Laurie, Ladner, 55; Neptune Grimmer, Pender Island, 55; John Watt, Victoria, 55; A. Calvert, Ladner, 50; Alex. Brethour, Sidney, 45; Wynn Page, Matsqui, 20.

Dairy cattle—J. M. Morrison, Duncan, 85; John Watt, Jr., Victoria, 84; S. H. Shannon, Cloverdale, 75; A. Calvert, Westholme, 75; Williford Maynard, Chilliwack, 75; J. W. Martindale, Victoria, 70; M. H. Hobie, Victoria, 65; F. J. Quick, Victoria, 55; S. Wheeler, Westhomle, 40; Thos. Mackie, Port Guichon, 40; J. W. Brethour, Sidney, 40; J. T. Maynard, Chilliwack, 35; T. Bonsall, Chemainus, 35; J. W. Pimlott, Victoria, 30; Wynn Page, Matsqui, 30; James Laurie, Ladner, 22.

Sheep—Thos. Mackie, Port Guichon, 90; J. T. Maynard, Chilliwack, 70; Wm. Maynard, Chilliwack, 60; J. W. Brethour, Sidney, 55; J. W. Martindale, Victoria, 50; Neptune Grimmer, Pender Island, 50; S. H. Shannon, Cloverdale, 45; N. J. Shopland, Sidney, 45; H. M. Vasey, Ladner, 40; J. T. Green, Ladner, 35; T. Bonsall, Chemainus, 35; S. Wheeler, Westholme, 25.

Swine—S. H. Shannon, Cloverdale, 93; John Watt, Victoria, 65 J. W. Pimlott, Victoria, 62; N. J. Shopland, Sidney, 53; W. M. Banford, Chilliwack, 26.

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CONNECTION WITH THE NEW TERMINAL

Resolution For the Council Meeting to Allow the Passage Along Store Street.

Following the negotiations for the purchase of the Albion Iron Works property, which as noted in the Times, was practically closed yesterday, the Canadian Pacific Railway Company is already preparing to take advantage of the increased yard accommodation which will be offorded thereby.

It is the intention to extend the track of the E. & N. to connect with the new freight terminal, as soon as the ground can be cleared up and prepared for the reception of the rails, and in this connection Mayor Morley will present the following resolution to the city council on Monday night, with a recommendation that it be passed:

"That the corporation permit the laying of a line of rails for the passage of railroad freight cars along Store street between the E. & N. depot and the site of the Albion Ironworks acquired by the company for a freight depot. And that an agreement be drawn up and signed and the seal of the city be attached thereto, and that this agreement be included in a by-law to be presented at the next regular meeting of the council."

The city solicitors prepared the agreement to-day. It is drawn up in such a way, according to Mayor Morley, that the interests of the city will be protected in every direction. Should the council pass the resolution given above, as it is almost certain to do, a by-law will be submitted a week from Monday to ratify the whole proceedings. The adoption of the agreement by the council will, however, be sufficient to enable the company to at once proceed with the work of preparing the new terminal so that there is not likely to be any delay.

The deal for the purchase of the Albion Iron Works property was put through by A. W. More.

THE FLOODS IN FRANCE.

Rivers Overflow Their Banks, Destroying Property and Causing Great Distress.

Paris, Sept. 28.—The flood situation in the south of France is a little better to-day.

The papers are filled with accounts of immense destruction caused in the department of Herault to which the damage is principally confined, and which is estimated at four million francs.

Reports from the departments of Herone, Gad and Vaer say that rivers everywhere have overflowed their banks and inundated the neighborhood, causing much distress. Authorities are hurrying relief supplies to the flooded sections of the country.

THE CUBAN CONSPIRACY.

There Has Been No Disorder on the Island—Trial of Prisoners Opens Monday.

Havana, Sept. 27.—The conspiracy situation is growing better every day. Governor Magoon is in constant receipt of reports from all parts of the island which show that nowhere has there been the slightest disturbance of the peace.

Governor Magoon to-day has been flooded with telegrams from every province condemning the conspiracy.

A special judge has been appointed to hear the evidence in the cases of the persons arrested for participation in the conspiracy. The hearings will begin to-morrow.

The government believes it has evidence to show that a certain New Yorker who recently visited Havana on a secret mission is implicated. This man was identified with the revolutionary movement of last August.

MORE WAGES.

Inquiry Into Demands Made Upon Canadian Pacific By Order of Railroad Telegraphers.

Montreal, Sept. 27.—The conciliation committee appointed by the government to look into the demands made upon the C. P. R. by the Order of Railroad Telegraphers for increased wages and changed conditions generally, held its first meeting this morning. Professor Adam Shortt, of Queen's College, Kingston, is the chairman of the committee, the other members of which are Hon. Wallace Nesbitt, K. C., of Toronto, representing the C. P. R., and Mr. J. G. O'Donoghue, representing the telegraphers. There were also present a number of officials, headed by Mr. J. W. Leonard, assistant general manager of the eastern lines, as well as a committee of the telegraphers.

This morning's meeting was of a preliminary nature, and lasted but a short time. The method of proceedure was arranged, and the general plan of the conferences was drafted out.

INVESTS IN FINE PROPERTY

JAMES ISLAND HAS CHANGED HANDS

I. H. Wheatcroft, on American Railroad Magnate, Will Reside on His New Purchase

Irving H. Wheatcroft, president and general manager of the Kentucky Valley railroad, has purchased from Dr. G. L. Findlay and Lady Sybil Findlay the splendid island residential estate known as James island.

The island is located about one mile off the mainland of Vancouver Island, between Victoria and Sidney, and can be reached by motor boat and car, being within an hour from the capital.

James island contains 784 acres, in addition to the sandpits, which give it a total area of almost 900 acres, and of this amount approximately 700 acres is fine, rich, fertile land. There are three farms on the island, which, prior to the time the property was purchased by Dr. Findlay, were owned by three different land owners.

Since Dr. Findlay has owned the property he has improved it very extensively, having had fifty-two men working on the island under his personal direction for many months, until to-day the island stands pre-eminently the best improved and most valuable of all the island, of anything near its size, in British Columbia.

As a game preserve, the island stands probably unequaled for its area in this territory, while a more ideal place for fishing, boating, bathing shooting and all similar enjoyment, could not be found. Those who have enjoyed the hospitality of Dr. and Lady Sybil Findlay on this beautiful island have been unanimous in expressing the opinion that the scenery and landscape views obtainable from the front of their residence, and from the high cliffs at the south end of the island, can scarcely be equalled, even in this land of beautiful scenery. A special feature of the island, the lack of which seems to be a serious drawback to most of the islands, is the splendid water supply of James. Dr. Findlay, since his ownership of the island, has built a large reservoir at an elevated position on the island, which is fed by springs, and from which the water is piped to all the buildings and gardens, and the supply is so ample that if necessary a large area of the island could be irrigated. Two or three hundred acres of the island have been cleared, or partly cleared, and a considerable acreage has been put under a very high state of cultivation.

Dr. Findlay brought out his professional gardener, Mr. Smith, from England, to superintend the cultivation of the fruits, and probably no estate in this part of British Columbia is under a more perfect or higher state of cultivation than the thirty odd acres of orchards, strawberries, vegetables and miscellaneous fruits, in which Dr. Findlay has taken special pride.

It is understood that Dr. Findlay has special business interests which require his personal attention for some time to come in South Africa, which is the only reason he has decided to sell this magnificent estate, to which everyone who has been there seems to have become attached. The transfer of the property includes all the real and personal property on the island, including a large quantity of thoroughbred live stock.

Mr. Wheatcroft will use the island for a residental and sporting estate, and continue the cultivation of all kinds of fruits on the island on an extensive scale.

The consideration of the sale has not been made public, but it is thought to be somewhere in the neighborhood of $75,000.

COACHES WRECKED.

Freight Train Collided With Passenger Which Was Passing Switch.

St. Louis, Sept. 28.—Two coaches of 'Frisco passenger train No. 4, from Texas, was wrecked by a collision with a freight train just inside the city limits last night. The freight ran through an open switch upon the main track just as the passenger was passing and went between the first and second coaches. A. Neil, of Salem, Mo., who was sitting in the rear of the first coach, had his hip crushed. Several were slightly injured.

TIDE TABLE.

Victoria, B. C., September, 1907.

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The time used is Pacific Standard, for the 120th meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water.

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We have received in our office in the past week many samples taken from every claim owned by the Highland Mary Company. Out of these we have had a great number of assays made by our own assayer on the ground. These assays run all the way around $200—the lowest—to $20,000—the highest. Our assayers on the ground, of course, cannot obtain as high assays as in laboratories in Toronto, where we have obtained the highest assays, running from $27,000 to $42,000 to the ton. Therefore, it is safe for us to estimate that the assays made by our own engineers on the ground are considerably under what we would actually receive were the stamp mills that the Company will install on the property in actual operation, together with the cyaniting process, by the use of which every particle of gold produced will be saved.

Could every investor come to our office and see the wonderful quartz samples, with gold showing in every portion, they would need no further urging or any further argument to convince them what Larder Lake is and what it is bound to be.

Investors who do not take advantage of this wonderful opportunity will, in a year from to-day, see and realize the great opportunities that they had to invest their money with great profit. We are in a position to judge, and we feel that we are judging rightly when we say to these investors: "Put your money into Highland Mary now. Every hundred dollars that you invest at the present time will, in a year from to-day, bring you many times that amount." This may seem to be a broad assertion, but consider well the great amount of territory, and consider well the millions that are made from properties consisting of but 10 to 20 acres of territory that never showed as rich as Highland Mary properties do to-day. It will only take a few months to place this property on a very big dividend-paying basis. Here is a legitimate opportunity for investors to make a real profit of 100 per cent. on your money by and through an early advance to $1.00. The Highland Mary shares will be selling in the open market at $2.00 in the near future, and it will not be long before investors will look back and realize how really cheap Highland Mary stock was at 10 cents. Such a chance to realize enormous returns on your money could seldom be possible except through the medium of legitimate mining investments, and through and by the discovery of such wonderful gold districts as Larder Lake. Remember, these opportunities will only present themselves once in a lifetime. This is the accepted time—this is the golden opportunity. The conditions surrounding the Highland Mary GUARANTEE to investors not only big profits, but also absolute safety. We have a property aggregating 1,200 acres in these wonderful Larder Lake gold fields—the new Eldorado—every acre of which is as rich in gold as the Rand or the famous gold districts of Nevada where millions upon millions are being taken out. The Larder Lake gold district will be familiar to every schoolboy almost the world over within a year or two. The titles are clear—there are no encumbrances whatever—not a dollar of indebtedness. To us there is not one single element of uncertainty as to the outcome. Investors at the present price of shares—ten cents—will realize the most wonderful profits that have ever been known in any mining district in the world.

We feel so positive regarding this, as we have had every reason to make us believe so. Our own engineers, whom we know, and our own prospectors and miners, with years of experience, whom we have every confidence in, demonstrate to us these facts. We have no other method of demonstrating to the investing public than through our advertisements, which we endeavor to make honest and straightforward. We are investing our own money, and are not advising the investing public to do anything that we are not doing ourselves.

We want to state further and impress upon our clients and the investing public that those of you who join us in this proposition should understand that we are also in this proposition with you. We are backing our faith with our money, and we are asking you to join us in this proposition, which we find after thorough and exhaustive investigation to be an absolutely secure and safe investment, and one that will yield returns that will make unprecedented profits for all concerned. We have no fear whatever regarding our investment, and we wish to make it clear to you that WE cannot take a dollar of profit out of this proposition as offered to you in the Highland Mary Company unless you, yourselves, receive the same returns in proportion to your interests therein. We say to you we are offering you one of the fairest, squarest and most honorable propositions that could be presented.

We pride ourselves upon the enviable reputation and standing we have earned and established with the investing public throughout Canada and the United States as brokers and financial agents. We are endeavoring to further build up, instead of tearing down, this reputation, which could only have been established by legitimate business methods. We would not make the strong assertions as to the Highland Mary properties and investment therein, in these advertisements, were we not satisfied beyond any question as to the ultimate outcome of the investment which we herein advise.

It hardly seems necessary at this time, but we are glad that we are able to refer any investor to any bank, financial institution or commercial agencies in the City of Toronto or throughout Canada and the United States as to our standing and reliability.

We wish to state further that every recommendation or assertion made in any of our advertisements or letters of advice WILL BE STRICTLY CARRIED OUT, and that any investor may invest his money with the full assurance that his money will be placed for the purposes and in the manner indicated, and that LAW & COMPANY will fulfill their pledges in every way.

We wish to express our appreciation to the many investors who have shown their confidence in our recommendations, and we desire again to pledge loyalty to their interests, having no fear whatever as to the future, knowing full well that it will demonstrate that their confidence in us has not been misplaced.

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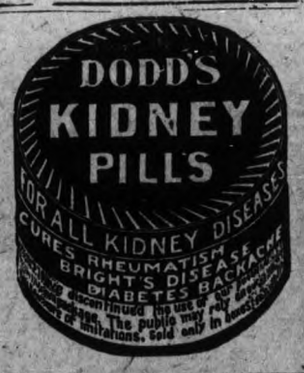
LIBEL SUIT.

(Special to the Times).

Ottawa, Sept. 28.—The whole La Presse-Russell deal at the last general election may be brought to light in a libel suit which Hon. Mr. Pugsley has taken against the Toronto World for saying he knew all about it, being on the inside.



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In the Green Room

Next week opens at the Victoria Theatre with a star attraction, "The Squaw Man." The company is heralded as an excellent one, and a full house may therefore be expected.

In the other theatres in the city the past week has been one of large houses. There have been many visitors in the city, which has led to full houses.

The New Grand reports a record-breaking week at that attractive house. The manager of Pantages, likewise says his place has been crowded.

"The Squaw Man."

The engagement of William Faversham at the Victoria Theatre, Monday night, September 30th, in "The Squaw Man," may very properly be regarded as one of the dramatic events of the season. "The Squaw Man" is a novel play, interesting, humorous and thrilling. It deals with the adventures of an Englishman on the Western plains, and introduces a large number of characters. The play is lavishly mounted, and the scenic investiture is absolutely correct, thus giving to the play the required atmosphere. In the first act, which shows the English country home, one almost scents the heather, treads the close-cropped lawns, and revels in the snug healthiness of the place.

In strong contract are the scenes shown in the second act, where the transfer is made to the Western plains, to the water-tank, cattle-shipping station on the Union Pacific, known as Maverick, Wyoming, to which locality the hero has drifted in his efforts to save the husband of the woman he loves from the disgrace which is but his just due. This scene is a true picture of the wild frontier life with which the author has made himself familiar in his own more youthful days; and this he limns with a free, facile and thrilling accurate pen. The plot teems with an interest that holds one as in a spell, and the second and third acts particularly present crises and climaxes that are as strong as any that have been shown on the modern stage. It is the realistic characterization which gives to the play its chief charm.

There is no straining for effect. It is a simple, beautiful story, graphically told in a rational manner. The supporting company is made up of actors to the manner born with naturalness as their chief charm, and the "atmosphere" of a correct scenic environment adds in making this one of the most attractive of entertainments.

The New Grand.

All of Manager Jamieson's anticipations as to the business during fair week have been realized so far, the receipts for each day largely exceeding those of the corresponding days during fair week of last year, and with the big business which the splendid bill is sure to draw for the closing performances to-night, the total is likely to be the largest for any week yet. The acts which will be seen for the last time to-night are Fox and Foxies Circus; Arthur Don and Minnie May Thompson, rapid fire talking and singing act; Harry Botter & Co., comedy sketch, "A Matrimonial Blizzard"; Pope and Knight, two charming singing, dancing and change soubrettes; Geo. Kaine, German comedian; Ernest L. Shaw, in illustrated song; moving pictures illustrating the loss and rescue of two children in the Alps, and the overture "Les Sylphes," by Bachman, by the orchestra.

Next week's programme is guaranteed by Mr. Jamison to more than hold its own in the pleasing procession of good shows which it has been his good fortune to be able to provide for his patrons during the season. The head line number, a comedy sketch entitled, "The Marriage Fee," is reported from Seattle to be absolutely the best and funniest that has yet been booked over the circuit. It is presented by Harry First in the character of Jacob Weinstein, a matriage broker, who is ably supported by Miss Florence Hadley and Mr. Maurice Frank. The Great Ernests are three of the best acrobats in the business. They use a bounding table and triple horizontal bar outfit, and the act is essentially a comedy one. Sidney Forrester is an English singing comedian of rare vaudeville merit, and with an unusually pleasing voice. His coster songs, in imitation of the Great Chevalier, could not be better sung except by the original. The Maccagnis are European whirlwind and fancy dancers; Miss Cora Thomas is a good soubrette and dancer, who will sing amongst others her own latest composition and success "High Toned Society." Ernest L. Shaw will have a new illustrated song in "Snuggle Up Closer." The new moving pictures will illustrate scenes and incidents in a caribou hunt in the B. C. mountains, and Prof. Nagle's orchestra will play "Love in Idleness", by Allan McBeth.

WILLIAM FAVERSHAM

In "The Squaw Man," at Victoria Theatre Monday evening

Pantages Theatre.

The new house has been playing to splendid houses this week. The star feature of it has been the Morton-Jewel troupe of club jugglers. These five, all artists in their line, have never failed to draw rounds of applause from the audience at every appearance. La Petite Patti, a juvenile wonder in the vocal class, Clifford and Hall in dances and comedy sketches, Tommy La Rose's singing, the Sisters Excella in "The Girl in White," and Van Hoff, the dialect comedian, have all sustained their interest throughout the week.

Big Attraction Coming.

Manager Denham of the Victoria Theatre, takes great pleasure in announcing that arrangements have been completed with the Askin-Singer Company, whereby the music play "The Time, the Place, and the Girl," the greatest musical and dramatic success of the season, will be produced in the Victoria Theatre on Monday, October 7th. This is the same attraction that has been produced over 465 times at the La Salle Theatre, Chicago, holding several records. First the Chicago record of having "sold out" for more performances than any other attraction ever produced in Chicago. Second, the world's record, inasmuch as every seat for every performance the week preceding Christmas was sold out twenty days in advance, notwithstanding this particular week in theatrical circles is considered by far the poorest week in the entire season.

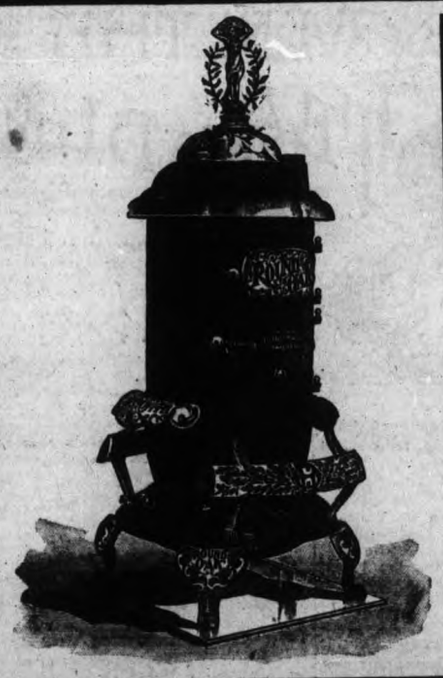
The company is headed by the well-known comedian John E. George, as "Happy Johnny Hicks," and assisted by such well-known artists as Eulalie Jensen, Elizabeth Goddall, Jessie Huston, Theodore T. Rook, C. M. Giffen, J. S. Kinslow, Wm. Fitzsimmons and Richmond Kent, and a chorus of fifty.

Success in Nanaimo.

From Nanaimo comes the news that Cupid in Posterland, presented there on Thursday and Friday evenings, under the direction of James W. Evans for the benefit of St. Paul's church, was a grand success. The director is well known here, having put on Cupid in Posterland last season in Victoria and the musical company at the Gorge park this season.

The company in Nanaimo, all local musicians of this place, were as follows:

Old King Cole, famous ruler of a famours kingdom, Ralph Johnson; A. Piker Franklin, reporter, A. E. Duchesnay; Foxy Grandpa, out for a good time, W. A. Letcher; Happy Hooligan, with troubles of his own, A. S. Tyrer; Laughing Jim, "I seen yo' ad in de paper," J. Manson; Buster Brown, a wise little boy, Ernest Whiteside; Pretending Percy, a good little boy, Herbert Bate; Policeman, one of the finest, H. N. Freeman; Jack, of King Cole's court, John Grant; Boy Blue, of King Cole's court, H. N. Chiswell; Miss Muffet, of King Cole's court, Kitty Johnston; Bo Peep, of King Cole's court, Mable Snook; Jill, of King Cole's court, Ursula Dobeson; Lady Bountiful, a specialist in charity, Agnes Glaholm; Mrs. Katzenjammer, a woman of character, Mrs. Fred G. Peto; Mary Jane, Buster's confederate, Bertha Cavalsky; Fairy, Ella Cavalsky; Countess Also, Elizabeth Dobeson; Cupid, Jean Drysdale.



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OVER THE TEA TABLE

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Smith and children, who have been spending a holiday with Mrs. Heisterman, returned to Vancouver yesterday.

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Mr. Rae Rome, of the staff of the Eastern Townships bank, in Vancouver, has been made manager of the branch at Keremeos in the Similkameen. Before leaving for the upper country he came down to say goodbye to his mother.

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Mr. and Mrs. Kelly, of Nelson, after a pleasant visit of two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Hebden Gillespie, left for home on Thursday.

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To the dancing set, Mrs. Norton is truly a friend in need. For some time there has not been a big dance of any description, but now Mrs. Norton has issued invitations for her popular subscription dances. The dates are October 11th, November 15th and December 13th. This year the chaperones have been changed and they now are Mrs. J. Irving, Mrs. R. H. Pooley, Mrs. Richard Janion and Mrs. Robin Dunsmuir. As usual the dances will be held in the A. O. U. W. hall, which I hear has been renovated and cleaned up during the summer.

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The many friends of Miss Gertrude Hickey will be glad to hear that she has quite recovered from her recent attack of tonsilitis.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sheasgreen, of Vancouver, have been renewing acquaintances in town during the week. While here they stayed at the Oak Bay hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roderick Finlayson (nee Grahame) have returned from their honeymoon spent on the Sound and Portland. They have taken up their residence in the fine new house on Queen's avenue built during the summer by the bridegroom. Mrs. Finlayson will be at home on the last two Fridays in each month.

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On Wednesday Mrs. Robin Dunsmuir gave a very smart luncheon in honor of her friend, Mrs. Victor Elliott (nee Langley.) Mr. and Mrs. Elliott have recently returned from England and their marriage in London was one of the most fashionable events, in which Victorians were interested, of the season. The guests at the luncheon included Mrs. Prior, Mrs. Flumerfelt, Mrs. Laing, Mrs. Elliott, Mrs. Genge, Mrs. R. H. Pooley, Mrs. Audain and Miss Schubert.

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Mr. W. E. Scott, of Ganges Harbor, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Beaven during the week.

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Mr. and Mrs. George E. Powell, (nee Dunlevy) who were recently married in New York, are spending their honeymoon in England.

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Miss Dorothy Green is in Comox visiting her friend, Miss L. Willemar.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McFarland, of croquet fame, are down from Vancouver for a few days and are staying at Virtue's.

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Mrs. Holmes is visiting Mrs. Marpole in Vancouver.

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Mr. Harvey Combe and Miss North Combe, who are at present visiting Mr. Combe's old home in England, are expected to leave soon for Victoria. Although he has not played in any of the big events while away, still Mr. Combe has established the fact that he is quite in the first class as a golfer, as at practice he holds his own with the good players. Locally the golf season has not started, but in another week or so the links will be opened. Moffat has returned from Winnipeg and not alone. He is now spending his honeymoon on the coast and on his return to Victoria will again take up his duties with the local club.

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The Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Dunsmuir and Miss Marion Dunsmuir returned early in the week from a flying trip to Vernon to inspect their ranch there. On account of the opening of the exhibition here a longer stay was deferred.

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Mrs. D. M. Eberts and Miss Phyllis Eberts have left for Montreal. They will spend the winter in the East.

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Mr. and Mrs. Burchell, Mr. Thornton and Mr. Jansen are a party of Thetis Islanders at present in town.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Oliver and Miss Kathleen Oliver are staying at their place at Cowichan Lake.

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Mrs. G. H. Barnard and her brother Dr. Rogers, of Chemainus, are visiting Vernon.

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Dr. and Mrs. O. M. Jones have returned from a six months' trip to England and the continent. While they were away the children and their grandmother, Mrs. Brady, stayed at the doctor's farm at Shoal Bay.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Barkley, of Westholme, are down for the fair where Mr. Barkley is showing some fine cattle. They are staying at "Fernhill."

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Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Spalding and Miss Betty Spalding are staying with Colonel and Mrs. Jones.

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A COMPARISON.

The united States of America follow cur example of publishing annually the result of the shooting of their vessels of war; and the order of merit of its fleets and ships. As in our own case, the actual worth of the figures given is only relative, and no indications of how they are arrived at is published. Thus, while the officers and men of their navy can see how their ships stand in relation to each other, and are stimulated to put forth their best efforts to get a good place on the list, yet the essential secrets of the State are not disclosed. The Pacific second squadron, under Admiral Swinburne, takes pride of place, and is as much as 20 per cent. ahead of the next best fleet on the list; although there is not a single battleship in this squadron, which consists of the Boston, Chicago, Charlestown, Yorktown, Princeton, Preble, and Paul Jones. This fleet comes out with 74.866 points, while the second squadron of the Atlantic fleet, which consists of the Kearsarge, Kentucky, Alabama, Indiana, Iowa, and Ohio, secured 62.456 points. The best battleship of the American navy was the Illinois, which was awarded 75.782 points; while the best cruiser, the Boston, received 79.782 points. The gunboat trophy was won by the Princeton, with 73.395 points, while the Hull won the gunnery prize for torpedo craft with 76.445 points. In the American navy the accuracy of torpedo aim is rewarded in a similar way to that of gunnery accuracy, and this is a feature of their competitions we might very well copy. This year the Preble won the torpedo contest (one of the crack second quuadron, Pacific fleet.) The evenness of the shooting of the ships forming this latter fleet was remarkable, each ship being what is known as a "star" ship — i.e., ships which obtain at least 85 per cent. of the final merit of the trophy winners of their respective classes of battleships, cruisers, etc. The shooting of the Atlantic and Pacific fleets, as a whole, was also very even; the Atlantic fleet securing 59.346 points, while the Pacific fleet, although it contained the best shooting squadron, secured only the slightly inferior figures of 59.241 points. The basis of calculation not being known, it is impossible to compare the American fleets with our own, but the above figures show that the spirit of gunnery emulation is every whit as keen in the American navy as in the British, and that the officers and men of our own navy have rivals treading close upon their heels; and no abatement in zeal and energy can be allowed by our officers commanding. The United States got to work first in scientific naval shooting, and this year's records show that they mean to hold their own among the world's fleets. Last year the general average of final merit was 64 per cent. in the ships of their navy; this year it is 71 per cent.—London Globe.

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RESOLUTIONS PASSED IN THE CONVENTION

Officers Elected by the Provincial Union at To-Day's Session of the Society.

This morning's session of the Christian Endeavor convention was in no way inferior to those that have gone before it. There was again a splendid attendance of delegates, and the interest increased as the hours went by.

After devotional exercises Rev. S. J. Thompson gave a talk on "Methods in Bible Study." The Christian Endeavorer ought to have method in the study of the Bible because of its great importance. The greatest themes of life were found in the Bible, God, man, time, eternity. The great end of Bible study was found in the development of the moral and spiritual life. The purpose of Bible study should be that one should know God, and to so know God that they should have eternal life. In Bible study they must bear in mind the purpose of the book, the time in which it was written, the place of the book and the people who were described and whose history they found. The men of the Bible should be studied, always remembering that they all prepare for, or follow Christ. All Bible study led to the supreme man, Christ. The Christian Endeavorer should study the Bible reverently, constantly, systematically. He should clearly recognize the gradual revelation of truth. The Bible was always up-to-date and therefore would abide for ever.

"Some Essential Features of a Well Organized Society" was discussed by Samuel Clark of Vancouver. The paper was a thoughtful and earnest one, and held the close attention of the convention. He said a well organized society was a union of units. The first essential therefore that there should be unity, first of members, second of its departments, third of purpose. In order that they might have this unity they must be thorough, active, united, and strong for a purpose, with one aim in view, aggressive and prayerful, and therefore powerful. This all meant training. There could be no real aggressive work unless they were trained for service. There were three points in reaching out for service, width of vision, warmth of heart, and wisdom of head. The well organized society must be a unit for Christ and the church, it should remember to train as well as teach; it will look after the quiet hour and be a praying society; also a paying society, and should be observant. "Watch and pray" should be the motto.

D. E. Buzza, president of the Vancouver Local Union, an energetic and enthusiastic Endeavorer, gave a helpful address on "What the Local Union of Christian Endeavor Can Do." The local union to be a help to the society must be progressive. It should be the organization through which the best C. E. methods can be spread. It should seek to promote interdenominational and Christian fellowship, the unity and co-operation in the various branches of C. E. work. The fundamental principle of C. E. work was loyalty to the church. No organization has done more to stir within our young people a sense of duty of loyalty to the church. No organization has such a grand opportunity of widening the interdenominational fellowship of binding together in Christian love and unity societies of every denomination and making such a greater power for good. The union should unite in a social way the societies of the union.

The work of the Provincial Union was introduced by Dr. F. L. Horsfall, of Seattle. Before commencing his address, Dr. Horsfall spoke in eulogistic terms of the press of Victoria. He said that the excellent detailed reports which had been published by the papers were second to none on other cities where a convention had been held; he found the press so generous in its treatment of the Christian Endeavor movement.

The work of the provincial union was arduous in the extreme. There should

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Formerly Field Secretary for the State of Kentucky.

be a live staff of officers, men who were not mere figureheads, but men in real earnest and willing to spend some time in the work set before them. The president should be a man in every sense of the word. The secretary needed the sympathy and co-operation of every officer of the individual societies. A man was failing in the common courtesy of life who neglected to reply to communications sent him by the officers of his society. It was the need of the day that Endeavorers should be ready to "do" and not ask the reason why they should do as they were asked.

The relation of the provincial union to the international society was discussed in a fervent spirit. The speaker regretted that this great denomination should have seen fit to institute young people's societies in their own denominations and not keep in complete touch with the interdenominational idea of the Christian Endeavor movement. All differences fade away before the presence and life of the one Lord and Saviour of all. Their allegiance to the provincial society should be as strong as their allegiance to the individual society. The officers of the union should plan great things. Let there be some definite work set before the union and then having made the plan, stick to it to the very end. Let the individual societies support the provincial union in their work. Stand by the leaders, keep pace with them and let all go on together.

A conference on methods of Christian Endeavor work was conducted by C. E. Van de Maaten. The first question discussed was "How to Have Good Prayer Meetings." The necessity was emphasized of having some bright ideas in prayer meetings, something more than the usual plan of a few hymns and prayers and a desultory discussion on some assigned topic. In turn the various committees of the individual society were brought in review, and a very interesting conversation was held on each topic. Many took part in the discussions and the interest was very great.

The report of the resolutions committee was read by L. L. Muttitte.

The following resolutions were passed:

"That this convention desires to place on record its extreme pleasure at the presence with us of Rev. J. A. Doyle, of Regina; Dr. F. L. Horsfall, of Seattle, and Mr. C. E. Van de Maaten, of Louisville, Kentucky. The addresses of each of these leaders of young people's work have been timely, intensely interesting, and we recognize our obligation to them for their assistance in making this convention a success."

"That this convention expresses its appreciation of the untiring efforts of Rev. E. Le Roy Dakin, the president of the provincial union, and his associates to make this occasion a success and a blessing. We realize that if it had not have been for his zeal and enthusiasm and self sacrificing effort the provincial union would not have had existence. We recognize his ability as a presiding officer in our meetings, and his brotherly spirit in our associations with him."

"Whereas the purpose of the Saskatchewan and Manitoba Provincial C. E. Union to secure the services for a part of the year at least of a union organizer or field secretary, has been brought to our attention, coupled with the request that the B. C. union cooperate with these unions in securing the services of a capable man who would give his time to the work in the united field,

"Therefore be it resolved that a committee be appointed consisting of the president and D. E. Buzza, who will inquire into the whole matter, with particular reference to the desirability of such an undertaking, the possible expense involved and possible income, and report to an early meeting of the executive."

"Whereas the united societies of Christian Endeavor is desirous of building an international headquarters building in the city of Boston, which would meet the ever-increasing needs of the publication, missionary and other departments of the organization; whereas the building of such a building would release a large amount of money which could be used for the carrying on of the world-wide Christian Endeavor campaign; and

"Whereas an important part of this missionary campaign is on behalf of India and other sections of the British Empire;

"Therefore be it resolved that this B. C. Provincial Union undertake the raising of our share, which we esteem to be about $1 per member, as soon as possible, but at least within the next four years, on behalf of this interdenominational headquarters building."

"Whereas this province is in need of some legislation which will enable the people to express their will regarding the licensed liquor traffic;

"Whereas there is a need for the unifying of all the organizations in symathy with such a movement;

"Whereas the undertaking of such a movement would provide an opportunity for the Christian citizenship department of the Christian Endeavor Provincial Union to do some practical work;

"Therefore resolved that this convention recommend the organization, on the part of the provincial executive, of a campaign throughout the province on behalf of a local option law."

"In view of the increasing lawlessness on this continent, and which has now reached that point in the great American republic, that the supreme issue of the day has become 'the enforcement of the law,' and in view of the fact that conditions in the United States have necessarily a very considerable influence upon Canada, and very especially on British Columbia;

"Be it resolved that this convention of the Christian Endeavor societies of British Columbia here, in Victoria assembled, and representing the Y. P. of the Baptist, Congregational, Methodist, Presbyterian and Reformed Episcopal denominations, views with alarm the attitude of our provincial government to the federal law of the Dominion of Canada in regard to the Lord's Day Observance Act, and calls upon the administration to take such action as shall bring the Lord's Day Observance Act into force in British Columbia, as it is now in force in almost every other province of the Dominion, and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded by the secretary to the prime minister, attorney-general and every other member of the cabinet of British Columbia."

"Whereas this provincial union has no constitution to govern its future work;

"Resolved that this convention request the provincial executive committee be formulate a constitution for the use of the provincial union until the next provincial convention shall be held."

The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: Hon. president, Rev. E. LeRoy Dakin, Victoria; president, Rev. W. H., Barraclough, B. A., Vancouver; 1st vice-president, D. E. Gugga, Vancouver; 2nd vice-president, Rev. H. A. Carson, Victoria; secretary-treasurer, A. E. Etherington, New Westminster; councillors, Mr. Hogg, Vancouver; Mrs. Warwick, Victoria; W. Skinner, Vernon; Miss Knight, Chilliwack, and H. W. Davies, Victoria.

—Householders and license-holders are required to make declarations at the city clark's office, city hall, before the end of October in order to obtain their votes in the forthcoming elections. Last year a number of householders failed to make the necessary declarations under the impression that registration on the last year's voters' list entitled them to vote.

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The water front between the two points mentioned was acquired some time ago by C. W. Brown, of this city. For a time he had it on the market, but recently he came to the conclusion that a good opportunity presented itself for the investment in wharves which would be independent of any of the shipping companies and would be open to all comers on the same terms.

He therefore has decided to withdraw the property from sale, and is now perfecting the plans for the erection of the new wharves. These will be commenced within a few weeks and pushed to completion so as to be ready for trade early next spring.

The water front owned by Mr. Brown is about 400 feet, and all will be utilized by him in his new undertaking. The providing of additional accommodation for the shippers is regarded as necessary. At the present time many steamers have to berth at the outer wharf which would prefer to come close into the business places if the facilities existed for them to do so.

The wharves will be equipped in the very best of shape. Mr. Brown expects to spend about $35,000 or $40,000 in the work and will give local firms and the shipping companies every facility for the handling of freight and the accommodation of passengers.

HAYES DID NOT LIKE THE CAMERA

Difficulty Experienced in Getting His Photo--Proceedings in the Police Court.

Magistrate Jay had a big docket of business before him this morning, both the city and provincial police furnishing cases for trial. Edward Johnson, a colored stable attendant, was charged with committing an assault upon John Street, an employee in the same stable, at the exhibition grounds last evening. He pleaded guilty and was fined $100 and costs, with the option of spending three months in jail.

Roy Baldwin, a stable boy, was charged with entering one of the booths with intent to commit theft. He was fined $10 and $10 costs, or in default a month in prison.

Roy Keller, a vagrant, who was rounded up by the city police yesterday, failed to answer a charge of vagrancy, and his bail of $50 was estreated.

John Hayes, charged with stealing $6 from F. A. Williams, came up on remand from yesterday. He elected to be tried by jury and pleaded not guilty. J. A. Aikman appeared for the accused and asked the magistrate to order the return of $165 which was taken from the accused by the police when he was incarcerated. Chief of Police Langley and Mr. Aikman had a wordy warfare on this point, and the magistrate reserved his ruling until Tuesday. Bail of $1,000, in two sureties of $500, was allowed, but it is unlikely that the accused will be able to take advantage of it.

Considerable amusement was caused at the city lock-up this afternoon when an attempt was made to photograph Hayes. Yesterday all attempts to secure a likeness of him proved unavailing through his vigilance, but to-day he was taken by a bioscope camera while being given a short walk in the open air, presumably for the benefit of his health. As soon as Hayes caught sight of the camera he ducked and attempted to cover his face, quite unconscious of the fact that his movements for the previous few minutes had been safely imprinted upon the film.

JAPANESE IN MILLS.

Albert Maclaren Says They Have Always Given Satisfaction.

Ottawa, Sept. 28.—Albert Maclaren, the big mill owner at Buckingham, near here, who has had considerable experience with Japanese in British Columbia, is of the opinion that the white residents of the western provinces are making a grave mistake in attempting to drive the Japanese and Hindus out, or prevent them from landing. The James Maclaren Lumber Company, which has a mill at Vancouver, has employed many Japanese in the past two years and they have given the best of satisfaction. "British Columbia needs Japanese to develop its wonderful resources," said Mr. Maclaren, "white men are preferable, certainly, but there are not enough whites in British Columbia to keep up with the pace. We have many Japanese in our mills out there, although white employees are in the majority. The Japanese never failed to do their work. There is no danger of the Japanese preventing white men from getting employment. There is undoubtedly plenty of work in British Columbia for all hands and Canada needs Japanese."

NOBLEMEN TOUR CANADA.

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 28.—Count Franz Hoyes, of Hungary, and Count Felix Hoyes, of Germany, are in the city. The visitors have come to western Canada on pleasure, and will go through Banff, from which point they will leave on an exploration tour to the north. Both of the gentlemen are landholders in their native country, and both expressed the wish to see farms in the west so that they might be able to compare agriculture as it is practiced in Europe and America. They will be in Canada for several months. Count Franz will go south to the western states, and from there return to Europe. Count Felix will go on to Japan and will see something of the Far East.

FATAL FALL.

Regina, Sept. 28.—John McPherson, who yesterday fell from the tower of the city hall, died last night. McPherson and a companion were burnishing the dome of the tower when the former lost his hold, falling sixty feet. He was unmarried and arrived in the city recently. He has a sister here.

—W. J. Mathers, of New Westminster, is spending a few days in the city.

HUNDRED CHINESE PERISHED IN FIRE

Conflagration at Wuchow Caused Property Loss Estimated at One Million Dollars

Hongkong, Sept. 27.—About one hundred lives were lost in the fire at Wuchow, while property valued at a quarter of a million dollars was destroyed.

The fire was put out after the kerosene depot had exploded.

Looting is now going on in Wuchow, but all the foreigners there are safe.

Incendiaries are believed to have started the fire.

FORESTERS' CHIEF RANGER.

Successor to Oronhyatekha Will Reach Here on Sunday Evening.

Elliott G. Stevenson, supreme chief ranger of the Independent Order of Foresters, successor to the late chief, Dr. Oronhyatekha, will arrive in this city by Sunday evening's boat from Vancouver. He comes, accompanied by a supreme court party, from Toronto to attend the sessions of the high court of B. C., which will be held in the K. of P. hall on Monday and Tuesday.

The new leader is a man of affairs. He was the supreme councillor to Dr. Oronhyatekha, and in the recent insurance inquiry loomed up as the best posted man in the order, and the watchful advocate of sound methods. His clear-cut views

ELLIOTT G. STEVENSON.

as to what constituted sound fraternal insurance and safe investment for accumulated funds secure to him the confidence of the tens of thousands of Independent Foresters throughout the world. His short stay in the city will not permit of a public meeting, but all I. O. F. members are invited by Court Cariboo to meet with the high court and supreme court party at A. O. U. W. hall on Monday evening. The court work will be conducted by a "guard of honor" from the lately organized ladies' court, Far West, a team of about 30 candidates will be initiated, addresses will be delivered by Mr. Stevenson and other noted visitors, and an opportunity offered for all present to become acquainted with the supreme chief and party.

On Tuesday afternoon the visitors will be the guests of Court Cariboo in a tally-ho drive, after which the supreme court party will take the evening boat to the Sound.

The sessions of the high court promise to be very interesting for the delegates, as some radical changes in the by-laws are proposed, and a large representation from the various courts of the province is expected to be in attendance. The Dominion hotel has been appointed as headquarters, and friends may find the visitors there outside of court sessions.

—At the roller rink, Fort street, the management has decided to put on every Wednesday and Saturday, extra sessions for the convenience of those whose business detains them to a late hour. The session on Wednesday being held from 5 until 9 p. m. and Saturday from 5 till 7 p. m. and also from 10 p. m. to 12 o'clock.

—Hon. W. J. Bowser, attorney-general, went over to the mainland this morning to prepare for the session of the assize court, which opens next week. There is quite a large list of cases docketed, and the attorney-general will probably be engaged for a couple of weeks. The docket embraces the cases of the Vancouver rioters, and there is one murder case on the list.

Shipping

WEST COAST LIFEBOATS.

Steamer Maude sailed from the marine and fisheries wharf yesterday for the West Coast of Vancouver Island, towing three lifeboats, which had arrived here from Vancouver and which will be installed at Banfield, Clo-oose and Ucuelet respectively. The Maude further took on board lumber and supplies for the trail builders on the West Coast, while Captain D. McDougall and five riggers left for Pachena Point, where they will raise the wireless mast at that point.

The stations for the accommodation of the lifeboats which have been taken to the West Coast are already installed, and before winter sets in the crews will have been selected, and all will be in readiness to assist in case of shipwreck. It is understood that the steamer Maude, which is in the command of Captain Anderson, will remain under charter to the marine and fisheries department until the winter sets in.

ATLANTIC RATES REDUCED.

Montreal, Sept. 27.—There is another move in the rate war which has been precipitated by the recent action of the Canadian lines in reducing their rates for express matter between the St. Lawrence and Liverpool. Yesterday the local agents of the Mercantile Marine, which comprises the American, White Star, Atlantic Transport, Red Star and Dominion lines, were notified from New York of a cut in the rates of eastbound and westbound travel. The rates, for instance, are $50 for a minimum saloon on the Majestic and Teutonic, and $52.50 for the Adriatic; the second-class reductions to be of a corresponding nature.

There is considerable conjecture here as to what will happen when the passenger managers of the Canadian lines get together to-day to draw up a plan of campaign to meet new requirements. Empress boats and turbiners now charge $55 for minimum saloon passage, and if they want to retain their trade they will have to make further reductions.

MARINE NOTES.

The North German Lloyd, the Cunard, the Hamburg-American and the White Star lines have advised their local agent, E. E. Blackwood, that, taking effect from November 1st, and continuing until March 31st, the west-bound first-class cabin rates will be greatly reduced. In some cases these rates will be as low as $50 on certain steamers. The Cunard Steamship Company has decided not to reduce its rates in any class, either west-bound or east-bound, on the new vessel Lusitania.

Convoyed by the steamer Salvor, of the B. C. Salvage Company, the C. P. R. steamer Otter left Ladysmith at noon to-day on her way to this port. On Thursday night the Otter ran on Danger Reef in a heavy fog, and is leaking badly. She is coming to this port under her own steam, as it is possible to keep her front filling by means of the pumps. She will be repaired at the ways of the B. C. Marine Railways Company.

The steamer Governor, the new vessel of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, will leave San Francisco to-day on her way to this port and Seattle. She will take the place of the steamer President on the Puget Sound-San Francisco route, while the latter vessel will go on the Nome run, sailing from Seattle on October 1st.

Carrying a large quantity of freight, both the C. P. R. steamers Charmer and the R. P. Rithet will sail from Victoria direct to New Westminster on Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. The cargo will consist mainly of exhibits from the Victoria exhibition, which are being taken over to the Royal City for the fair to be held there.

Tug William Jolliffe, of the B. C. Salvage Company, arrived at the marine and fisheries wharf this morning. She is under charter to the marine and fisheries department at present, and will leave for the West Coast for the purpose of establishing buoys this evening.

The steamer Transit, of the B. C. Coast Steamship Co., is reported from Ketchikan, which port she left on Thursday bound for Unalaska. She will bring a cargo of ore from the Portland Canal to the Island smelters when downward bound.

The Cunard Steamship Company has advised its local agent, E. E. Blackwood, that the liner Saxonia arrived in Boston from Liverpool to-day with a total of 2,226 passengers bound for United States and Canadian points.

British sailing ship Holt Hill is now engaged in discharging cargo at Seattle. Early next week she will move to Tacoma, where she will finish taking on a grain cargo for the British Isles.

Steamer Princess Beatrice is expected in port to-morrow morning from the Queen Charlotte Islands and Northern B. C. ports. She has 2,500 cases of salmon for discharge at the outer wharf.

The Western Fuel Co., of Nanaimo, has chartered the steamer Tordenskjold to carry coal from Vancouver Island to San Francisco. The Norwegian vessel is well known on this Coast.

With 300 Japanese on board for this port the steamer Tango Maru, of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha line, is scheduled to arrive at this port on Tuesday.

Steamer Titan, of the Holt line, is due here on Friday next. She has 150 Japanese and about 1,000 tons of general merchandise for this port.

Bound for San Francisco, the steamer City of Puebla, of the Pacific Coast Steamship Co., sailed from the outer wharf last night.

Steamer Gymeric, of the Weir line, is expected here from San Francisco to go into dry dock at Esquimalt to be overhauled.

Steamer Empress of Britain from Montreal landed her passengers at Liverpool on Wednesday morning.

Steamer Kumeric, of the Weir line, arrived at Yokohama on Thursday from Puget Sound.

PERSONAL.

Mr. I. M. Nodek and Mrs. I. Braverman, both of this city, were married last Wednesday, Sept. 25th, by the Rev. Dr. Koch, at Seattle, in the parlors of the Hotel Savoy. They left on an extended Eastern trip, returning by way of California.

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John Douglas and his wife, who live in Portland, Oregon, returned home last night after spending some time in the city. They travelled by the steamer Chippewa and the Northern Pacific railway.

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Alexander Cook, accompanied by his sister, leaves to-night for San Francisco. They are taking the remains of their mother to the Bay City for burial.

R. A. Craig Allan, a prominent English stock raiser of Miles City, Montana, left by the North Coast Limited last night on his way home.

A. E. Goodhouse left by the North Coast Limited last night bound for his home in Omaha.

—The death occurred suddenly this morning of Thomas Scott, aged 60. He had been on a visit to the city with his wife and sons, his home having been in Edmonton. Deceased was a native of Cumberland, Eng. The funeral will take place on Monday at 2 p.m.

—All officers and members of Victoria Hive, No. 1, and Queen Alexandra Hive, No. 11, are requested to attend the regular review of Baxter Hive, No. 8, on Tuesday afternoon at half-past two in Semple's hall. Reports of all committees respecting the rest tent work must be presented. Mrs. Kemp, deputy supreme commander for British Columbia, will be present and will address the members at length in regard to Maccabee work in Canada and the United States.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR SALE—Good driving horse, new top buggy, and harness. Apply 57 San Juan avenue.

FOR SALE—A lady's wheel, in good condition, "Perfect" make, reasonable price. Plimley's, Government street.

TO DENTISTS—For sale, 1 electric dental engine, practically new and in thorough going order. Seen by appointment. Write Box 33, Times Office.

FARM TO RENT—In South Saanich, reasonable terms. For particulars address Box 35, Times Office.

WANTED—A furnished cottage or small house, careful tenants, no children, for 6 months or more; rent reasonable; central location. Box 34, Times Office.

HOME MADE—Pickles, preserves, jellies, pigs' head cheese, black puddings, sausage, salt pork, sauerkraut, hams, bacon, lard, Chili sauce, etc. Robert Eccles, provisions, Douglas street, Todd block.

WANTED—Furnished cottage. Address, with particulars, S., Box 647, city.

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James Island Ranch

All accounts against above ranch or Dr. G. Landsborough Findlay, or the Lady Sybil Findlay, should be forwarded to the undersigned BEFORE THE 10th OCTOBER NEXT.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

All scavengers and other persons removing, or causing the removal of, garbage, or refuse matter of any kind, from premises in the business, or any, part of the city, are hereby notified that from and after this date they are required by the City to separate all garbage into three classes, namely:

1. Offensive or malodorous matter, such as decayed fruit, vegetables, fish, flesh, or other waste products which are, or may become, offensive.
2. Combustible rubbish.
3. Solid, inoffensive matter, such as earth, ashes, etc.

And to deliver the same as follows: 1. At the scow at the foot of Telegraph street; 2 and 3. At the James Bay Flats, or any other place that the City Engineer may require from time to time, and they are also further required to take notice that any person, or company, failing to comply with the above requirements will be prosecuted.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., Sept. 28th, 1907.

NOTICE

The Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company will apply to the Parliament of Canada at its next Session for an Act extending the time within which the Company may commence and complete the railway and branches, the construction of which was authorized by Section 2 of Chapter 92 of the Dominion Statutes of 1906, and for other purposes.

Dated at Vancouver, September 26th, 1907.

W. F. SALSBURY,
Secretary of the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company.

ADVANCE IN BREAD

On account of the steady advance of flour, having gone up in price $1.50 per bbl. within the last six weeks, the master bakers find it impossible to supply bread at present prices; also fuel, wages and feed for horses have gone up about 25 per cent., therefore the following bakers, on and after TUESDAY, OCT. 1st, will supply bread at:

16 FOR $1.00 RETAIL.
20 FOR $1.00 WHOLESALE.

Absolutely no discount allowed on these prices.

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L. Willie & Son.
G. A. Okell (Capital City Bakery).
Mr. Legg (Golden West Bakery).
Mr. Florence (Scotch Bakery).
M. R. Smith & Co.
Mr. Darling (Caledonia Bakery).
McMillan Bros.
Mr. Schilling (Central Bakery).
Mr. Brown (Health Bakery).

Tenders are called for the purchase of a most desirable piece of farm property, situate about one mile from the limits of Victoria City, in Cedar Hill District, comprising all of Section 60 and part of Sections 41, 56 and 57, lying to the east of the Cedar Hill road, and containing about 160 acres. Of this about 120 acres are under cultivation, the soil throughout being a very fine loam, the fences all of barbed wire in good repair, water to be obtained anywhere, and being well under-drained and almost level.

Address tenders and apply for further particulars to

WOOTTON & GOWARD,
Solicitors, Bank of Montreal Chambers, Victoria, B. C.

NOTICE
MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS, 1908.

TO HOUSEHOLDERS AND LICENSE HOLDERS OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA:

The attention of the Householders and License Holders is respectfully directed to the necessity of lodging a Statutory Declaration claiming the right to vote at the forthcoming Municipal Election, during the month of October. The necessary declaration must be left with the undersigned before the first day of November, 1907. No declaration will be received after the 31st of October next. Form of declaration may be obtained and the declaration made in the City Assessor's Office, City Hall.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., Sept. 28th, 1907.

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After the first of October the prices of
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If you wish to buy a house, farm or vacant property, call and have a look over our lists and let us recommend something to you. With our knowledge of Victoria real estate and prevailing prices, we may be able to assist you in securing what you wish.
BEAVER LAKE—34 acres. Price per acre $75
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JUDGES EXPRESS THEIR OPINION

They Speak Freely Concerning the Horses Shown, Offering Suggestions For the Future--Additional Prize List

Yesterday was America's day, and large numbers of visitors from the State of Washington were present. An excursion from Bellingham brought over five hundred and a good number came on the Seattle boats. Besides these there were visitors from all outside points and on account of the schools being closed a number of children were there right early in the morning, remaining all day. Wagner's First Regiment band from Seattle played during the afternoon, but unfortunately they had to return, and therefore could not play in the evening.

In order to get an authentic criticism of the horses at the show, interviews were sought with the judges, W. F. Kidd and R. H. Taber. The former gentleman who hails from Simcoe, Ont., judged the light horses, and therefore anything he says on that subject may be considered as authoritative. In his own words the criticism ran as follows:

"There were four hackney stallions entered, and of these the winner of the first prize, one owned by Mr. Mercer, is a magnificent mover, his action is great and he is also very speedy for a hackney.

"The second prize was awarded to a black of wonderful substance, belonging to Mr. Hadwen, with lots of ambition, but with action not quite so good as the first.

"The third is probably as fine a type of hackney as any in the class. He had been a long time in the cars and like a good many others, got his docks a little hurt. This might have had something to do with the place he got.

"The unplaced stallion is a hackney of great substance and beautiful color, but did not show as much action as the others.

"In carriage teams Pemberton's chestnuts obtained the first prize. They are thoroughly broken, of good action, perfect manners, and were justly entitled to win a first prize.

"The second, Mitchell's grey and chestnut, are a nice type of carriage team, but could hardly expect to win higher than second, seeing that they had only been in harness a few weeks.

"In saddle horses Pemberton's beautiful little black mare showed splendid breeding, with head, neck and shoulders almost perfection for the class in which she was exhibited.

"Mitchell's second did not show enough breeding, but in a combination ride and drive would be hard to beat.

"The small pony that won the first prize is a beautiful little piebald, the admiration of the whole crowd, and might be sent to any exhibition in the country and expect to be placed. The second pony was good but much larger and in classes of this kind the smaller animal is the more valuable."

Judge Kidd was heard to remark that it would have been better to have driving horses in two classes, as it is most unsatisfactory to compare carriage and road horses. The fair as a whole, he thought, was good (this with emphasis) and in looking at the parade he said one would never think it was taking place in as new a country as this. All the arrangements of the show were excellent and the officers had done everything in their power to make the work of the judges as easy and pleasant as possible.

R. H. Taber, the judge of the heavy horses, made a few criticisms of the horses he judged, and it must be remembered he was speaking from a strictly critical standpoint. He said:

"There were eight good horses entered in the aged stallion class. The first winner, Dean Swift, is a good, big draught horses, of good quality, a good mover, and with lots of character.

"Royal Sceptre came second, from Chilliwack. He is a good thick horse, of fair quality and a fair mover.

"Premier Prince, the third in the class, was not big enough to get a higher place. Besides being rather small he was not brought in the best bloom.

"The fourth place was given to Earl Seaham, a horse of good quality. There were also a number of very good horses that did not get prizes.

"In the three-year-olds, Mercer's won out. This is a horse of good quality, but somewhat out of bloom on account of his trip. Still, it is a real good colt.

"Mercer also won the first in two-year-olds, a horse of good quality, fresh in limb, and with plenty of the right kind of bone and feather. He was, however, a little light in the middle, partly on account of his trip. This will fill up.

"Pemberton's yearling won out in his class. A colt of good quality, a good mover, but rather too much furnished for a yearling.

"Pemberton also took first in brood mares, with Nellie Garrick. She is a mare of excellent quality, a grand mover, but rather on the fine side for a draught mare.

"Paterson's, that won the first in the three-year class is a right good, thick filly with lots of promise, a good mover and lots of the right kind of bone.

"The two-year-old filly that took first is also a good thick filly of fair quality. Mercer's that took second and third were of good quality, but rather out of bloom from their long trip.

"The race for champion was very close, Pemberton's stallion beating Mercer's two-year-old, and Nellie Garrick only just bettering Paterson's three-year-old.

"Pemberton's driving team is an excellent one, and would look well at any show in the country."

Asked for any suggestions or criticisms, Mr. Taber said that in the prize list he would suggest cutting out the geldings from the pure bred classes. When a horse is altered he loses his identity in the stud book, and should not be shown against those entered. The agricultural horses were very strong and the classes well filled with excellent animals. This class was better than at any show he had attended so far this summer, excelling even Winnipeg, Brandon and Regina.

Another suggestion ne made was that harness horses should be shown in front of the grand stand. This makes a nice display and does not in any way interfere with the races. The arrangements were good except that the horses were slow in coming out. This was a waste of time and he would like to suggest that if the horses were not ready when called they should be cut out of the judging, just as they would from racing. He would further suggest the judging of unregistered stock first, leaving the pure bred for the second day, when more farmers would be in attendance. These people like to see the placing and learn a good deal from it.

Mr. Taber said he had received every courtesy from the officials and everybody else. The show as a whole was a fine one, and Victorians should be proud of it and support it to the best of their ability.

The following is the continued list of prize-winners:

HORTICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

Commercial Fruit Exhibit.

Best display of fruits, commercial varieties, packed for market in standard, not less than two boxes or crates of each variety, apples, pears, plums, prunes, peaches, etc. Special—1, R. M. Palmer & Son, Victoria; 2, Wm. E. Scott, Ganges Harbor; 3, T. A. Brydon, Appless.

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Duchess of Oldenburg, 5—1, Jas. Townsend, Mt. Tolmie; 2, Mrs. J. F. Watson, Gordon Head.

Peerless, 5—1, T. A. Brydon, Victoria.

Gravenstein, 5—1, T. A. Brydon; 2, Donald McCaskell, Keating.

Alexander, 5—1, Mrs. J. Irvine, Mt. Tolmie; 2, Mrs. John Riddle, Victoria.

Maidens Blush, 5—1, Jas. Townsend; 2, F. Sere, Victoria.

Wolf River, 5—1, W. E. A. Thornton, Sardis; 2, Phillip D. Goepel, Colquitz.

Twenty-ounce Pippin, 5—1, J. S. Bell, Lillooet; 2, Stewart Bros., Keating.

Snow, 5—1, James Townsend; 2, John Riddle.

Wealthy, 5—1, John Riddle; 2, James Townsend.

Blenheim Orange, 5 — 1, W. E. A. Thornton; 2, Phillip D. Goepel.

Fall Pippin, 5—1, E. S. Field, Metchosin.

Any other fall variety, 5—1, A. L. Marshall, Victoria; 2, Robt. Clarke, Keating.

Fallawater, 5—1, Hy. Helgeson, Metchosin; 2, John Sherburn, Victoria.

King of Tompkins, 5—1, W. E. A. Thornton; 2, Stewart Bros.

Ribston Pippin, 5—1, Palmer & Andrews; 2, Mrs. J. T. Watson.

Rhods Island Greening, 5—1, R. H. Nunn, Victoria; 2, Donald McCaskill.

Baldwin, 5—1, James Townsend; 2, T. Adam.

Northern Spy, 5—1, T. Adam; 2, Wm. E. Scott, Ganges Harbor.

Golden Russet, 5—1, Palmer & Andrews.

Bell Flower, 5—1, Wm. E. Scott; 2, Stewart Bros.

Stark, 5—1, A. E. Gale, Keatings.

Canada Reinette, 5—1, Stewart Bros.; 2, Tanner Bros.

Grime's Golden Pippin, 5—1, Tanner Bros.; 2, Phillip D. Goepel.

Jonathan, 5—1, Tanner Bros.; 2, Donald McCaskell.

Lemon Pippin, 5—1, James Townsend; 2, John Sherburn.

Blue Pearmain, 5—1, F. Sere; 2, Wm. Fisher, Metchosin.

Red Cheek Pippin, 5—Donald McCaskell.

Cox's Orange Pippin, 5—1, J. Townsend; 2, R. M. Palmer & Son.

Peasgoods Nonsuch, 5—1, J. Townsend; 2, John Riddle.

Roxbury Russet, 5—1, T. G. McKay, Keating.

Bell de Boskoop, 5—1, Tanner Bros.; 2, Stewart Bros.

York Imperial, 5—1, R. M. Palmer & Son.

Ben Davis, 5—1, Tanner Bros.; 2, J. S. Bell, Lillooet.

Pears.

Best collection by individual growers, 5 varieties, 5 each. Special—1, F. Sere; 2, R. M. Palmer & Son.

Barlett, 5—1, Thos. W. Edwards; 2, R. H. Nunn.

Any other variety, 5—1, P. D. Goepel; 2, T. Kingscote, South Saanich.

Flemish Beauty, 5—1, T. A. Brydon.

Louise Bonne de Jersey, 5—1, P. Wollaston; 2, J. Sherburn.

White Doyenne, 5—1, F. Sere.

Sheldon, 5—1, R. M. Palmer & Son.

Beurre Hardy, 5—1, Flewin's Garden; 2, F. Sere.

Beurre Boussock, 5—P. M. Palmer & Sons.

Any other fall variety, 5—1, A. E. Gale; 2, T. W. Edwards.

Buerre Clairgean—1, W. E. A. Thornton, Sardis; 2, Geo. Heatherbell, Colwood.

Beurre d'Anjou—1, F. Sere.

Winter Nells—1, F. Sere; 2, John Sherburn.

P. Barry—1, R. M. Palmer & Son.

Vicar of Wakefield—1, F. Sere; 2, E. J. Parsons.

Any other winter variety—1, I. A. Brydon; 2, R. M. Palmer & Son.

Plums.

Coes Golden Drop—1, T. A. Brydon; 2, Palmer & Andrews.

Pond Seedling—1, T. A. Brydon; 2, Palmer & Andrews.

Fallenburg or Italian Prune—1, John Riddle, Victoria; 2, Mrs. H. Smith, Duncan.

Giant Prune—1, John Riddle.

Grand Duke Plum—1, Palmer & Andrews, Mt. Tolmie.

Lombard—1, R. H. Munn.

Peaches.

Early Crawford—1, Donald McCaskill.

Late Crawford—1, Wm. Noble; 2, 2, Henry Helgeson.

Any other variety—1, Wm. Noble; 2, Robt. Clarke.

Grapes.

Concord—two lbs.—1, R. H. Munn; 2, A. Longfield.

Brighton, two lbs.—A. Longfield.

Moores Diamond, two lbs.—1, Philip D. Goepel, Colquitz.

White Sweetwater, two lbs.—1, Stewart Bros.; 2, A. Longfield.

Best collection, two bunches each—1, A. Longfield.

Quinces, Crab Apples and Packed Fruit.

Reas Mammoth—1, W. E. A. Thornton.

Crab apples, Florence—1, T. A. Brydon.

Crab apples, Hyslop—1, F. Sere.

Best packed apples in box for shipping—1, R. M. Palmer & Son; 2, F. Sere.

Best packed pears in box for shipping—1, Wm. E. Scott; 2, F. Sere.

Blackberries, best plate—1, John Riddle; 2, A. G. Tait.

WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT.

Cookery, (Non-professional.)

Bread, white (two loaves baked in a pan)—1, Mrs. W. R. Higgins, Victoria; 2, Mrs. A. McKinnon, Duncans.

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BURNSIDE ROAD — 5 LOTS (2 corner) 46 x 130, within city limits. Easy terms. Each $575

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7 LOTS BLACKWOOD STREET, 50 x 100. Easy terms. Each $400

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1 LOT, EMMA STREET—67 x 160. Terms $550

2 LOTS, FIRST STREET, 50 x 133. Terms $450

1 LOT, CORNER IDA AND DENMAN STREETS—53 x 100. Terms $350

CORNER COOK AND COLLISON STREETS—1 LOT, 60 x 120 ..... $2,000

MARKET STREET—1 LOT, 60 x 135. Terms $650

CALEDONIA AVENUE—1 LOT, 60 x 120. Terms $1,350

MOSS STREET—2 LOTS, 80 x 90. Terms. Each $700

STANLEY STRREET—Between Grant and Alfred streets, 3 LOTS. Terms. Each..... $750

RICHMOND AVENUE—A DESIRABLE LOT, 60 x 120. Terms $1,200

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FARMS

COWICHAN—300 ACRES, 250 acres fenced, 80 acres cultivated. Orchard, dwelling house, large barn and farm buildings, etc.; good soil, good living spring, ½-mile frontage on the Bay. Beautiful sloping sea beach. Farm implements and stock included. Terms. Price $25,000

COWICHAN—100 ACRES, 20 cultivated, 54 cleared. Good orchard, modern 9-roomed house, heated by steam, bath room, lavatory, etc. Good water from running creeks. Implements and stock go with the farm. Good barn, stabling for two horses and 20 cows. Everything in good order and repair $11,000

ALBERNI—151 ACRES, 60 acres fenced, 60 acres cultivated, 5 acres slashed; good orchard, good house, large barn in good condition; 80 acres bottom land, 70 acres high land. Somass river passes the property; one of the most beautiful places in Alberni. Terms $16,000

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GORDON HEAD ROAD—FRUIT FARM, 8¼ ACRES. all good soil, 1½ acres. Prime strawberry plants, half of which were planted in 1907, balance planted spring 1906; 1½ acres in garden; balance slashed and burned; new 6-roomed house with garret of 3 rooms more. Value, $2,500. Good well with pump; barn 48x24 with large loft; horse, harness, wagon with top; cultivator, Hollock weeder, stumping machine, good tools and implements; over 100 chickens, etc. Next year's crop of strawberries should net over $1,000.00. Terms. $7,350

ACREAGE

RUNNYMEADE AVE.—2 1-3 ACRES, Terms $5,900

CADBORO BAY—7 22-100 ACRES, water frontage, terms $1,250

CADBORO BAY—7½ ACRES, water frontage; per acre $1,000

CRAIGFLOWER ROAD—ONE ACRE, more or less, running through to the Victoria Arm, 83 ft. on Craigflower road and 83 ft. on the Arm $4,500

SHOAL BAY—4 ACRES. Per acre $1,500

COR. BAY AND COOK ST.—5 ACRES. Per acre... $3,000

GORGE ROAD—20 ACRES on the Victoria Arm..... $13,000

WASHINGTON AVE.—½ ACRE, cleared and fenced. Terms $6,500

COLVILLE ROAD—ONE ACRE. Terms $1,000

MOSS STREET—2 2-5 ACRES. Terms $6,350

QUADRA STREET—TWO ACRES, city property.... $11,000

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"LAND REGISTRY ACT"

To Otto Stelling, Registered and Assessed Owner of Lot 17, Block One, of Section Sixty-Nine, Victoria District, Map No. 298.

Take notice that application has been made to register Heinrich Siebenbaum as the owner in Fee Simple of the above land under a Tax Sale Deed from the Assessor of the District of Victoria to him, dated the 25th day of February, 1907, and you are required to contest the claim of said Heinrich Siebenbaum within twenty-one days from the first publication of this notice.

Dated at Land Registry Office, Victoria, British Columbia, this 20th day of September, 1907.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
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Wm. W. NORTHCOTT.
Assessor.
City Hall, Victoria, B. C.
September 12th, 1907.

Corporation of the City of Victoria.

Tax Notices have been mailed to all known owners of Real Estate.

Any one not receiving same will please call at the Post Office or at the office of the undersigned.

CHAS. KENT,
Collector.
City Hall, Victoria, Sept. 6th, 1907.

JUDGES EXPRESS THEIR OPINION

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Bread, brown (two loaves baked in a pan)—1, Mrs. George McMoran, Mount Tolmie.

Bread, Boston brown, one loaf—1, Mrs. J. Sherburn, Victoria.

Dinner or bread rolls, 6—1, Miss Alice King, Mount Tolmie; 2, Mrs. Chas. Barnes, Victoria.

Plain biscuits, one dozen—1, Mrs. C. J. Nelson, Victoria.

Scotch shortbread—1, Mrs. J. F. Watson, Gordon Head; 2, Mrs. Grotton, Victoria.

Cookies, one dozen—1, Mrs. A. E. Clayton, Victoria; 2, Mrs. A. B. King, Victoria.

Cake, pound—1, Mrs. Geo. McMoran, Mount Tolmie.

Cake, layer—1, Miss Charlotte Clayton, Victoria; 2, Miss A. A. Moore, Victoria.

Cake, sponge—1, Mrs. W. Bond, Victoria; 2, Mrs. C. J. Nelson.

Cake, fruit—1, Mrs. G. H. Deane; 2, Mrs. J. Bellanger, Victoria

Cake, chocolate—1, Mrs. Geo. McMoran; 2, Mrs. C. J. Nelson.

Cake, seed—1, Miss M. R. Lawson, Victoria; 2, Miss Nellie Scowcroft, Victoria.

Plum Pudding—1, Mrs. Geo. McMoran.

Mince Meat—1, Mrs. Geo. McMoran.

Fruit Pie—1, Miss Alice King.

Meat Pie—1, Miss Alice King; 2, Mrs. A. A. Moore.

Beef Tea—1, Miss Amy Luscombe, Victoria; 2, Mrs. T. G. Hay, Victoria.

Sweet Pickles—1, Catherine Maynard, Victoria.

Best assortment of pickles—1, Rita C. McTavish, Victoria; 2, Mrs. Lamphere, Victoria.

Best assortment of jams, (at least three kinds)—1, Mrs. Thos. Luscombe; 2, Catherine Maynard.

Best assortment of canned or bottled fruit, (at least three kinds)—1, Mrs. Jas. Flett; 2, Miss M. Rye, Victoria.

Marmalade, orange—1, Mrs. Ramms, Victoria; 2, Mrs. J. Sherburn.

Chicken Jelly—1, Mrs. Geo. McMoran, 2, Mrs. T. G. Hay.

Best assortment of home-made candy (six pieces each kind)—1, Miss Charlotte Clayton.

For Girls, 15 Years and Under.

Bread, brown—1, Irene McMoran, Mount Tolmie.

Bread, white—1, Mrs. Lyhll McKinon, Duncans.

Bread, rolls—1, Miss Katie Herkiger, Victoria.

Baking Powder Biscuits—1, Carrie Thomas, Victoria; 2, Florence Luscombs, Victoria.

Doughnuts, six—1, Miss E. V. Hobbs, Victoria; 2, Irene McMoran.

Scones, six—1, Carrie Thomas; 2, Irene McMoran.

Plain Cookies—1, Carrie Thomas, Victoria.

Beefsteak Pie—1, Dorothy Hay, Victoria.

Plain Cake, iced—1, Carrie Thomas; 2, Florence Luscombe.

Nut Cake—1, Irene McMoran.

Baked Beans and Boston Brown Bread—1, Florence Luscombe.

Salad—1, Dorothy Hay; 2, Florence Luscombe.

Beef Stock—1, Irene McMoran; 2, Florence Luscombe.

Special Prizes.

For the best loaf of bread made by any lady non-professional from Lake of the Woods Milling Company's "Five Roses Flour"—1, Miss Fox, Victoria; 2, Mrs. Lofting, Victoria.

For the best cake made from Drifted Snow Flour—1, Miss Amy Luscombe.

For the best loaf of bread baked in a McClary stove or range—1, Mrs. A. Sharp, Nanaimo.

For the best loaf of bread made by any lady (non-professional) from "Royal Standard" Flour—1, Mrs. A. B. King, Victoria; 2, Mrs. S. Gunter, Victoria.

Best two loaves of bread made by lady non-professional from Calgary Hungarian Flour—1, Mrs. S. Gunter, Victoria; 2, Mrs. J. Sherburn, Victoria.

POULTRY AND PET STOCK.

Fowls.

Andalusians, cockerel—1 and 2, G. E. Milloy, Victoria.

Brahmas, light, cock — 1, Jones & Newberry, Nanaimo.

Brahmas, light, hen—1, 2 and 3, Jones & Newberry.

Cochins, Buff, hen—1, H. D. Reed, Nanaimo.

Game, Black-Breasted Red, cock — Reginald C. Parberry, Victoria.

Game, Black-Breasted Red, hen—1 and 2, Reginald C. Newberry.

Game, Black, cock—1, Wm. Baylis, Victoria.

Game, Black, hen—Wm. Baylis.

Game, Cornish Indian, cock—1, T. Griffiths, Victoria.

Game, Cornish Indian, hen—T. Griffiths; 2, T. Griffiths.

Guinea fowl, cock—1, A. M. Watt, Heals P. O.

Hamburg, S. Spangled, cockerel—1, J. Anderson, Victoria.

Hamburg, S. Spangled, pullet—1 and 2, J. Anderson.

Langshans, Black, cockerel—1, 2 and 3; J. T. Pargeter, Nanaimo.

Langshans, Black, hen—1, Jones & Newberry.

Langshans, Black, pullet—1, 2 and 3, J. T. Pargeter.

Langshans, White, cockerel—1, J. T. Pargeter.

Langshans, White, hen—1, 2 and 3, Jones & Newberry.

Langshans, White, pullet—1, J. T. Pargeter.

Leghorn, White S. C., cock—1 and 2, S. Y. Wootton, Victoria; 3, J. T. Pergeter.

Leghorn, White S. C., cockerel—1 and 2, J. T. Pargeter; 3, Wm. Baylis, Victoria.

Leghorn, White S. C., hen—1, S. Y. Wootton; 2, J. T. Pargeter; 3, S. Y. Wootton.

Leghorn, White S. C., pullet—1, Jones & Newberry; 2 and 3, J. T. Pargeter.

Leghorn, White R. C., cockerel—1, J. T. Pargeter.

Leghorn, White R. C., hen—1, J. T. Pargeter.

Leghorn, White R. C., pullet—1, 2 and 3, J. T. Pargeter.

Leghorn, Brown R. C., cock—1, H. D. Reed, Victoria.

Leghorn, Brown R. C., cockerel—1, H. D. Reid.

Leghorn, Brown R. C., hen—1, 2 and 3, H. D. Reid.

Leghorn, Brown R. C., pullet—1, 2 and 3—H. D. Reid.

Leghorn, Brown S. C., cock—1, B. B. Moore, Mt. Tolmie; 2, J. L. Lang, Victoria.

Leghorn, Brown S. C., cockerel—1, 2 and 3—J. L. Lang.

Leghorn, Brown S. C., hen—1, B. B. Moore; 2, Mrs. West, Victoria.

Leghorn, Brown S. C., pullet—1, 2 and 3, J. L. Lang.

Leghorn, Buff, cock—1, Jos. Dixon, Victoria.

Leghorn, Buff, cockerel—1, Wm. Baylis; 2, Jos. Dixon.

Leghorn, Buff, hen—1, Jos. Dixon.

Leghorn, Buff, pullet—1, Jos. Dixon; 2, Wm. Baylis.

Minorcas, Black S. C., cockerel—1, R. Cecil Hall, Victoria; 2, James Wood, Victoria; 3, R. Cecil Hall, Victoria.

Minorca, Black S. C., hen—1 and 2, Jones & Newberry.

Minorca, Black S. C., pullet—1, 2 and 3, Mrs. John Bentley, Victoria.

Minorca, Black R. C., cockerel—1, 1, Mrs. W. West, Victoria; 2, Jos. Dixon.

Minorca, Black R. C., hen—1, Jos. Dixon.

Minorca, Black R. C., pullet—1, Jos. Dixon; 2 and 3, Mrs. W. West.

Minorca, White, cockerel—1 and 2, Fred Jamieson, Victoria.

Minorca, White, pullet—1, 2 and 3, Fred Jamieson.

Orpington, Buff, cock—1 and 2, H. D. Reid; 3, S. Y. Wootton.

Orpington, Buff, cockerel—1, Jas. Wood; 2, H. A. Potts; 3, J. T. Pargeter.

Orpington, Buff, hen — 1, Jones & Newberry; 2, Jas. Wood; 3, H. D. Reid.

Orpington, Buff, pullet — 1, H. A. Potts; 2, Jas. Wood; 3, Thos. W. Edwards.

Orpington, Black, cock—1, Miss Alice Turner, Victoria; 2, H. D. Reid.

Orpington, Black, cockerel—1, Miss Alice Turner; 2, W. N. Mitchell; 3, Jos. Dixon.

Orpington, Black, hen—1, H. D. Reid; 2, Miss Alice Turner; 3, Jos. Dixon.

Orpington, Black, pullet—1, Miss Alice Turner; 2, A. C. Potts; 3, W. N. Mitchell.

Plymouth Rock, Barred, cock—1, Wm. Newberry & Sons, Nanaimo; 2, B. B. Moore; 3, B. B. Moore.

Plymouth Rock, Barred, cockerel—1 and 2, B. B. Moore; 3, Wm. Newberry & Sons.

Plymouth Rock, Barred, hen—1 and 2, B. B. Moore; 3, Wm. Newberry & Sons.

Plymouth Rock, Barred, pullet—1 and 2, B. B. Moore; 3, Wm. Newberry & Sons.

Plymouth Rock, Buff, hen—1 and 2, H. D. Reid.

Plymouth Rock, White, cock—1, R. Cecil Hall.

Plymouth Rock, White, cockerel — Wm. Newberry & Sons; 2, Jones & Newberry; 3, Wm. Newberry & Sons.

Plymouth Rock, White, hen—Jones & Newberry; 2, Jones & Newberry; 3, Wm. Newberry & Sons.

Plymouth Rock, White, pullet—1 and 2, Edward Griffiths; 3, Jones & Newberry.

Polish, Silver, cock—1 and 2, Jones & Newberry.

Polish, Silver, hen—1, 2 and 3, Jones & Newberry.

Rhode Island Reds, S. C., cockerel—1 and 2, Mrs. Alf. Wilton, Nanaimo.

Rhode Island Reds, S. C., pullet—1, and 2, Mrs. Alf. Milton; 3, R. Cecil Hall.

Rhode Island Reds, R. C., cock—1, R. Cecil Hall.

Rhode Island Reds, R. C., cockerel—1 and 2, Mrs. Alf. Wilton; 3, R. Cecil Hall.

Rhode Island Reds, R. C., hen—1, R. Cecil Hall.

Rhode Island Reds, R.C., pullet—1 and 2, Mrs. Alf. Wilton; 3, R. Cecil Hall.

Wyandottes, White, hen—1 and 2, S. Y. Wootton.

Wyandottes, Buff, cockerel—1, Wm. Baylis.

Wyandottes, Buff, pullet—1, Wm. Baylis.

Wyandottes, Partridge, cock. Special—1, Wm. Baylis.

Wyandottes, Partridge, cockerel—1, Wm. Baylis.

Wyandottes, Partridge, hen—1, Wm. Baylis; 2, Jones & Newberry.

Wyandottes, Partridge, pullet—1, Wm. Baylis.

Wyandottes, S. Pencilled, cock — 1, James Flett, Victoria; 2, A. T. Flett, Victoria.

Wyandottes, S. Pencilled, hen—1, 2 and 3, James Flett.

Wyandottes, S. Pencilled, pullet—1, A. T. Flett.

Bantams, Game, Brn. Red, cock—1, S. A. Loundes, Victoria; 2, Jas. H. Smith, Victoria.

Bantams, Game, Brn. Red, hen—1, S. A. Loundes.

Bantams, G. Duckwing Pple, cock—1, Master C. Dean, Victoria; 2, Jas. H. Smith.

Bantams, G. Duckwing Pyle, hen—1, Olive Duncalfe; 2, Master C. Dean.

Bantams, G. Duckwing Pyle, pullet—1, Olive Duncalfe, Victoria; 2, Master C. Dean.

Bantams, Game, White, cock—1 and 2, J. T. Pargeter; 3, Jones & Newberry.

Bantams, Game, White, cockerel—1, 2 and 3, J. T. Pargeter.

Bantams, Game, White, hen—1, 2 and 3, J. T. Pargeter.

Bantams, Game, White, pullet—1, 2 and 3, J. T. Pargeter.

Bantams, Cochin, Buff, cock—1 and 2, C. J. McDowell, Victoria; 3, J. T. Pargeter.

Bantams, Cochin, Buff, cockerel—1, 2 and 3, J. T. Pargeter.

Bantams, Cochin, Buff, hen—1, C. J. McDowell; 2, J. T. Pargeter; 3, C. J. McDowell.

Bantams, Cochin, Buff, pullet—1, 2 and 3, J. T. Pargeter.

Bantams, Black, cock—1 and 2, J. T. Pargeter.

Bantams, Black, cockerel—1, J. T. Pargeter.

Bantams, Black, hen—1 and 2, J. T. Pargeter.

Bantams, Black, pullet—1, J. T. Pargeter.

Bantams, White, cock—1, Master C. Dean.

Bantams, White, hen—1 and 2, Master C. Dean; 3, Jas. H. Smith.

Bantams, White, pullet—1, Master C. Dean.

Bantams, Rose Comb, cock—1, Jas. Dixon; 2 and 3, Jones & Newberry.

Bantams, Rose Comb, cockerel—1, Miss Alice Turner; 2, Wm. J. Dorman, Victoria.

Bantams, Rose Comb, hen—1, Miss Alice Turner; 2 and 3, Jones & Newberry.

Bantams, Golden, cock—1, W. E. Nachtrieb, Victoria; 2 and 3, Jones & Newberry.

Bantams, Golden, cockerel—1, J. T. Pargeter.

Bantams, Golden, hen — 1, W. E. Nachtrieb; 2, Jones & Newberry.

Bantams, Golden, pullet—1 and 2, J. T. Pargetter; 3, Master C. Dean.

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WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON.

MARKS OF A MAN FOR THE TIMES.

The International Sunday-school Lesson for September 29th is a Quarterly Review. Ps. 90.

By William T. Ellis.

Opportuneness and possibilities mark this lesson. Like much of the present-day discussion of the world's need, it is concerned with the theme of a man for the hour. The greatest glory of these recent epochal days in the history of the western world is the emergence of men who under old conditions have been submerged. The hope of thoughtful patriots in these latter days is that the new stress that is being laid on individual righteousness will effect an increased stability of personal character among the people of the land generally. For it is more man that we need. We have been driven sharply back upon the old, old truth that only personality is the salvation for the times; that all of the world's needs are imbodied in its need for manhood.

The striking events in public life, with all their homiletic character, and all their exhortation to return to the first principles of morality and religion, will yet have failed to produce their ultimate results if out of them have not come more men of increased might, ready to take up the burdens of the public weal. Undoubtedly there is apparent throughout the length and breadth of the continent a new sense of individual sovereignty. Men are realizing their responsibility as citizens as never before. They are talking less about the privileges of patriotism and more about its duties. The plain man in the commonplace sphere is lifting up his head with a new consciousness that he has a right to challenge the acts and deeds of the mightiest public servant. Surely these are good times for manhood. While the statisticians write the staggering figures of the new world's wealth, they are overlooking the greatest asset of all, namely the sheer manhood which, in markedly increasing degree, is the sovereign characteristic of the new world.

A Man Looming Large.

What has this to do with the present Sunday-school lesson which is indicated as a review of the forty years' history of the life of Israel from the Exodus to the death of Moses? Simply that those forty years spell one grand word of three letters—man. Whoever peers into those dim, dull, gray years finds, looming mountain high above the ruck of tangled commonplaceness—above the din of the jangling voices of a many-minded people, the clear, strong figure of which the world has said, "There was a man." The greatest contribution of those forty years was just Moses. One man's greatness redeemed the epoch from littleness. As he led those supine slaves out into a new national identity, and gave to the formless mob a place forever brilliant among the nations of the world, so he has contributed to the imperishable annals of history a portrait of a great man, one of the world's very greatest.

Moses died without ever reaching the land of promise. He labored and others entered into his rest. But in all Canaan there was no personality, until a Greater than Moses came, equal to that of the man learned in all the wisdom of the Egyptians, and equipped with the greater wisdom that comes from communion with Jehovah, who had shaped Israel's destiny and given her her law. Among the few great figures who adorn the rotunda of the magnificent library of congress at Washington may be seen the figure of Moses, calm and majestic, seeming, even in the cold bronze, as one who walked apart from the common order of men. No better review of this quarter's Sunday-school studies can be made than a consideration of the qualities which marked the greatness of Moses.

A Man Who Dared.

All the world's sages have declared that courage ranks among the first of human virtues. Moses was from first to last a man of appalling audacity. He dared attempt the highest possible destiny for himself. That takes courage. Most people are content to drift along into any sort of life or character that happens to come to them with the years. Only the rare man, so rare as to be called great, resolutely achieves for himself the character which he, in his moments of clearest perception, has deemed worth while. The courage that wins character must combat the inbred littleness of human nature every day of life. Its enemies are both without and within. Environment tends to compress life. Moses rose above his environment. He was a great man when, on the lonely mountain side, he played the part of a shepherd; he was a great man when, in majestic solitariness, he led Israel through its forty years of wandering.

One shrinks from saying—lest it seem to be merely a conventionally pious remark—that the secret of Moses courage was his religion. But we have abundant record that naturally he was a timid man. If left to himself he would have spent his day in obscurity. His greatness cannot be credited to natural endowment. He became brave because he met face to face with God. His courage was not inborn

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courage, but imparted courage. It took the "fear not" of Jehovah to stiffen his backbone. That is what religion does. The fear of God removes the fear of man. The sublime moral heroism of the world has mostly been on the part of spiritually-minded men, whose cowardice has been consumed in the bright furnace of faith. If Moses had not first met with God, he would not have dared meet with Pharaoh. There is significance in the fact that the heroes of recent developments in American life have been for the most part Christian men.

The Man Who Can Wait.

The twentieth century is in such a desperate hurry that its bridges are buckling, its big buildings collapsing and its men being sent to sanitoria. A modern person almost gasps when he contemplates the forty years of retirement which Moses spent in the wilderness. Yet there is no truth more plainly taught in history than this, that preparation must precede performance; that great goals must be waited for, as well as worked for. Enduring deeds cannot be done over night. Character is not a product of a camp meeting. One deep emotional experience does not make over a life. The slow and quiet accretions of the years are necessary to bring a spirit to ripeness. So he who would work for his fellow men and who would work with God, must be willing to take time, as Moses did.

A very human man, and no demigod, was this Moses; his fits of impatience link him closely to the common run of us. Yet these only serve to throw into high relief his essential patience. When he found what was God's programme, he was willing to wait on it. His natural impulsiveness is shown at the slaughter of the Egyptian, became well reined in before he reached Mount Nebo and had his first and last look over the Promised Land. Write it deeply that patience must be at the foundation of greatness of character.

"Where There Is No Vision."

"Where there is no vision the people perish," says the wise man. The salvation of any society is the men and women of imagination who dream dreams and see visions. This Moses had a seeing eye. He could see God in the bush, he could see God on the mountain top, he could see a nation in a brow-beaten, spiritless horde of captives. Countless obstacles confronted him in the great task he undertook, but he had the gift of seeing through and over the obstacles to the victory which lay beyond. This power of vision, which rises above the petty circumstances and which does not magnify the near at hand into the all-important is vital to poise and power in life.

If some people had a little more vision, they would be able to take a square look at the pettiness, puerility, sordidness and vanity of their own lives. They would see the inconsequentialness of most of the pursuits that engage their powers. They would be spurred to live for ends worth living for. Canaans, flowing with milk and honey, are the inheritance, not of the grumbling ones who are concerned primarily with food, raiment and physical comfort, but of those who pursue great ideals. This western world is a product of vision. Its greatness is assured until it loses its vision. That would be a worse calamity than the greatest financial panic that could overtake the country.

The Essence of Patriotism.

The patriotism of Moses was linked vitally with his spirit of vicariousness, which is the essence of patriotism. Moses lived and labored for the sake of others. His toils were not his own, but his people's. He loved his fellow countrymen better than he loved his life. For their sake he was willing to be accursed; for their sake he dared the wrath of Jehovah; for their sake he underwent all the rigors of the wilderness; from the first blow that felled the brutal Egyptian to the last sublime strain of his dying song, his thought was of Israel and not of himself. The devil looks out for number one; so do a great many people. But all those who bear in their spirits the marks of the Lord Jesus have a concern for their fellow men. They are burdened by society's woes; the ills that afflict mankind touch their hearts. Their lives are given not to any bread and butter existence for the mere maintenance of their physical selves, but to the great causes of human service and sentiment. There is one invariable test of greatness—no man is more than commonplace and small who is looking out primarily for himself. In this sense "number one" indicates the lowest grade.

It thus comes about that the world calls to its places of leadership the men whose unselfishness it has tested. In the long run, mankind knows the lovers of their fellow men.

The Interdependent Life.

The department idea of life has been talked about a great deal lately. Because the richest man in the world rather boasts of the fact that his life is divided into compartments, unrelated one to the other, others are being taught that a man cannot divide his life up into sections, to be judged only by certain parts. In the judgment days of time and eternity, a man must stand by his whole character, and by all his deeds.

It is noteworthy that in the prepared life of this man Moses, each part was built upon the other. He could not see it at the time—no man was ever able to measure his own life while it was in the process of construction—but subsequent events proved the vital importance of each experience in the life of Moses. Because the material of his whole life was sound and good, God could use it for a great structure.

This interdependence of the parts of life explains many human mysteries. We cannot understand the experience of the moments until they are long past; then we see how they and they alone made possible future greatness. The life that is in God's hands is bound to become a symmetrical life; but this can seldom be seen while the parts are being fitted together. Moses at Pisgah had his first vision of his own life in its completeness.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETIES.

THE PROBLEM OF THE CITY.

Terse Comments on the Uniform Prayer Meeting Topic of the Young People's Societies, Christian Endeavor, Baptist Young People's Union, Epworth League, etc, for September 29th. "Home Missions: Religious Progress in Our Cities."—Jonah 1: 1-3; 3-: 1-10: 4; 9-11.

By William T. Ellis.

The city is one of the big modern problems. It is so vast, so intricate, so unknowable a thing, that usually only phases of it are considered at a time. Some speakers talk of the city when they only mean part of it that is given over to poverty and vice. Others have in mind only the principal "down town" portions, when they talk of the city; meaning thereby the main thoroughfares, the hotels, the big stores, the places of amusement and the railway stations. Still others regard the city in an entirely material sense—its building, its industries, its wealth. A city is all these, and much more. And in any light it is worth studying as the greatest, albeit perhaps the most perilous, product of the nineteenth and twentieth centuries.

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A city's sin is simply the sin of individual men and women.

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Since human nature loves to look upon the dark side of things, we hear more about the evil of a great city than its beneficence. Yet the angels must rejoice over the good that is crowded into every large city. What a heavenly spectacle are the innumerable hospitals, orphanages, asylums, and institutions for dispensing a bewildering array of charity to be found in every great city of civilization. Every form of human need has been taken thought of by the modern city. There are homes for the aged and homes for foundlings; homes for the blind, homes for the deaf; homes for the cripled; homes for the consumptive; homes for young men and homes for young women; homes for waifs and homes for utterly outcast; homes for feeding hungry bodies, and homes for ministering to starved spirits. The amount of money spent for charity within the bounds of any modern great city amounts to a fortune every year. Let this be reckoned in taking stock of the city.

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All the needs that human nature possesses everywhere it possesses in the city; and this includes the needs of God.

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Of late years the churches have made a vigorous effort to grappie with what they call the city problem. Church extension and city mission committees, of varying efficiency, are common in all denominations. Preaching places, which ordinarily develop into full-fledged churches, follow the growth of population. Rescue missions are maintained in the congested sections. The foreign population is given special attention. Nevertheless, city mission work may still be said to be in an experimental stage. Nobody thinks that the remedies equal the needs. There is a vital something still lacking; so that the life of the average city may fairly be said to be less religious than the life of the same number of persons in the country.

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A city ministers to a man's superficial and material needs completely; it is when his spirit is hungry that the city often fails him.

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The church must provide more than prayer meetings for people if she is to meet all their proper needs.

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Almost no attempt—certainly no adequate attempt—has been made by the forces of religion to minister to the general cravings of people for amusement. We condemn the theatre and the dance and offer no substitute. One will search a great city in vain for any considerable amount of entertainment which does not bear the church's ban. Church socials are no substitute for the drama. Coffee houses cannot take the place of saloons. When religious people seriously undertake to do for the city what the city needs, there will be many first-class places of wholesome recreation in every city—resorts which will compete, on their intrinsic merits, with the best that the world has to offer.

SEVEN SENTENCE SERMONS.

Cowards die many times before their deaths;
The valiant never taste of death but once.
—Shakespeare.

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The shortest life is long enough if it lead to a better, and the longest life is too short if it do not.—Colton.

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I hold this thing to be grandly true,
That a noble deed is a step towards God,
Lifting the soul from the common sod
To a purer air and a broader view.
—J. G. Holland.

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In character, in style, in all things,
The supreme excellence is simplicity.
—Longfellow.

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If I can put some touches of rosy sunset into the life of any man or woman, then I feel that I have wrought with God.—George Macdonald.

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Some hae meat and canna eat,
And some wad eat that want it,
But I hae meat,
And I can eat,
And say the Lord be thankit.
—Burns.

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The home is the basic and essential unit of our Christian civilization, and the capacity to establish, maintain, and own homes is the most significant characteristic of the highest development of a people.—Charles E. Littlefield.

DECEASED WIFE'S SISTER.

Turmoil in England Over the New Marriage Bill.

The recent issues of the London Times to hand bear testimony to the agitation in ecclesiastical circles occasioned by the passage of the law permitting marriage with a deceased wife's sister. The bill was amended in the House of Lords by the addition of a provision which leaves to every incumbent full discretion as to whether or not he will solemnize such a marriage if requested to do so. If he declines, it is again left to his discretion to say whether or not he will sanction its solemnization by another clergyman in the church which is under his control and care. This discretion covers, of course, the proclamation of banns.

It is already evident that the bishops intend so to apply this provision as to prevent the solemnization of these marriages in the churches of the Church of England. "We shall," said the Archbishop of Canterbury, in a letter published in the Canterbury Diocesan Gazette on the very day that the bill became law, "serve best the interests of the church and people by not solemnizing such marriages or furthering their solemnization in church. This counsel may appear to some people to be unreasonable, knowing as we do that there are many good Christian men who believe that these marriages, now sanctioned by the law of the land, are also compatible with what they regard as a true interpretation of the teaching of holy scripture, and even of the early church, respecting marriage. I shall be ready in due time to explain the reasons which make me believe in the wisdom and propriety of the course which I recommend."

Other bishops have followed the example of the head of the church. "As the law now stands," says the Bishop of Exeter, "I counsel the clergy neither to celebrate such marriages nor to allow their churches to be used for them." The Bishop of Southwark and the Bishop of London have also taken strong ground against permitting these marriages to be solemnized.

Among the minor clergy, however, opinions to the contrary are not unknown. Canon Henson, of Westminster abbey, a well-known Liberal churchman, in a letter to the London Times, deals severely with the Bishop of London. "For the first time since the Reformation," says Canon Henson, "the clergy of the national church have been legally excluded from the protection of the general law of which they know neither the exact nor the precise meaning, nor the constitutional sanction." After protesting against the attempt "to organize opinion within the church so effectively that a clergyman's liberty of action will be destroyed," the canon continues:

"The bishop creates conscientious scruples in his zeal to satisfy the vehement zealots for whom alone he has a heart to sympathize, or a mind to think. No church has set such store by loyalty to the state as the church of which the bishop is a chief officer. None has placed the claim of the state to Christian men's respect so high. There is nothing in the New Testament clearly adverse to marriage with a deceased wife's sister, but there is much which clearly and categorically prohibits civil disobedience. It is irrelevant to urge the supreme obligation to obey one's conscience in an argument which throughout is concerned with the political question of conflicting external jurisdictions. I know no reason why a Christian Englishman should not be conscientiously convinced that the parliament of his country in 1907 is a more efficient and morally respectable instrument for expressing the mind of the divine society of the church than the convocation of 1604."

Lord Galway, in a letter to the same paper protests against the action of the bishops. "If I had thought," he says in a letter, "there would be this deliberate attempt to coerce clergymen not to allow the churches to be used for these marriages I should have endeavored by an amendment to make such permission compulsory on the clergy, and I feel convinced I should have done so successfully. I trust other bishops will not be persuaded to follow the example set them; as, should it be found that all churches are closed to these marriages, it will clearly be necessary to bring in another short bill to insist that the law of the land and the intention of parliament shall prevail."

OIL FOR WARSHIPS.

Revolutionary Change in Fuel System Decided Upon by the British Admiralty.

According to information which reaches a correspondent of the London Daily News from the inner circles of the admiralty, the government has decided to substitute oil for coal at the British naval bases throughout the world. It is asserted that the government already has made heavy purchases of oil in Texas, Roumania and Galicia, and is also prepared to monopolize the entire oil-producing field of Nigeria. The latter is still undeveloped, but the authorities are drilling on a large scale in places, where the surface conditions indicate plentiful oil deposits.

The government is keeping the matter secret lest it give rise to keen competition for oil on the part of the various navies, and not only send up the price, but complicate the problem of getting adequate supplies. Hitherto it has always been supposed that the world reckoned Welsh steam coal as an important factor in the British naval strength, since in the event of a crisis other nations could be denied access to this fuel.

The experience of Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman's government in this matter, as the Daily News correspondent is informed, thus far has been expensive. The Shell trust offered the government oil at rather more than 50 shillings ($12) a ton, delivered at the Falkland Islands. The Texas oil producers offered oil at 45 shillings ($10.80) a ton delivered on the coast of America. This proposition was accepted, but when the oil reached the coast the government found that tank steamers could not be had to transport it across the seas. The result was that the oil delivered at the Falkland Islands finally cost 87 shillings ($20.88) a ton.

The admiralty experts say that oil can be transported much more easily than coal, an dcan be trans-shipped at sea by means of flexible tubes under conditions that would make the transshipment of coal impossible. It is anticipated that when the British government's position with reference to oil becomes generally known there will be a great demand for this kind of steam-producing fuel for factories and locomotives.

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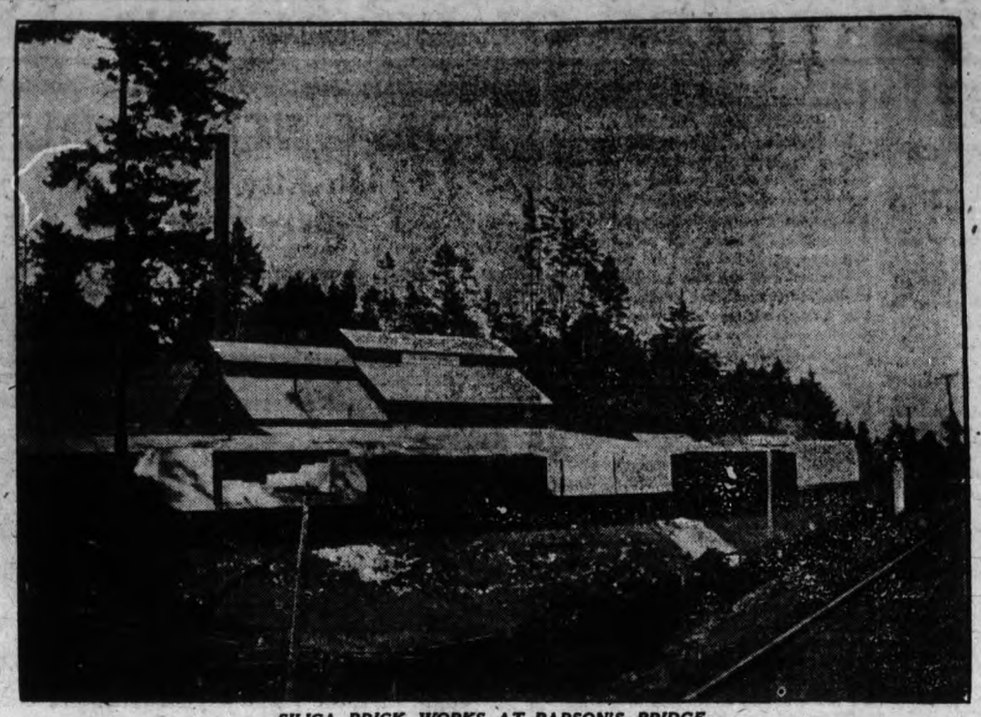

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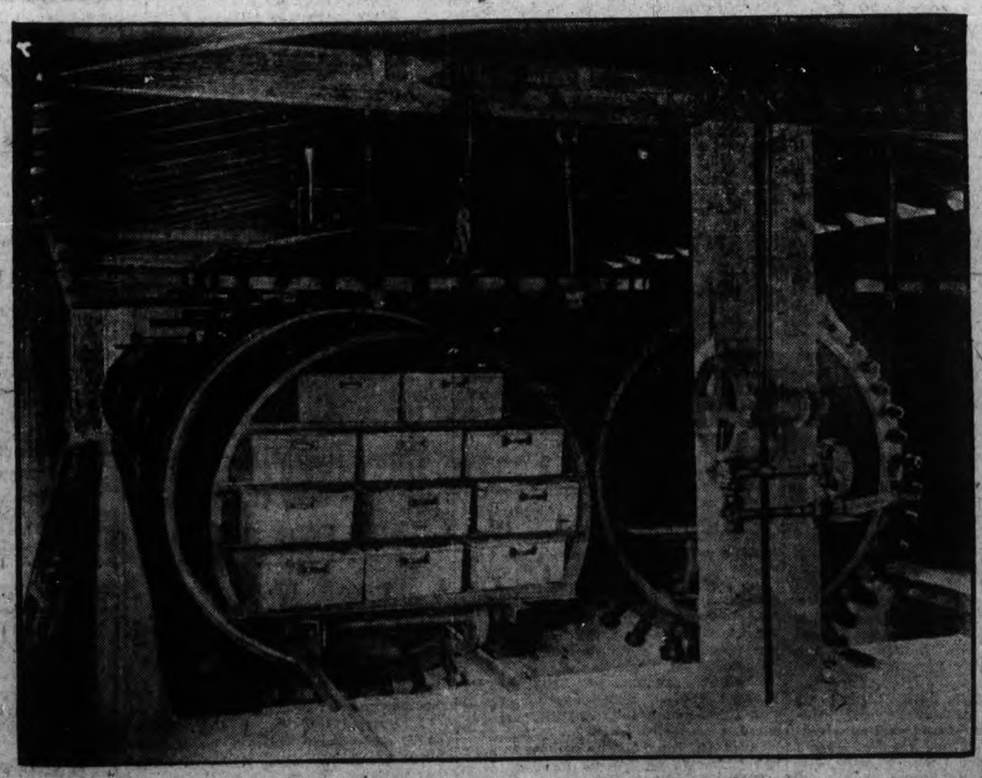

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THE DISAPPEARANCE OF PINCH

A sharp shower had cleansed the dust-laden air, and old Pinch breathed in the mildness of the summer's night with the zest of any epicure in atmosphere. "It's good," he said, as he turned sharply into the square. "The night's the time fer me. Twenty year an' more I've druv by night, an' I still ses as it's good. None o' your 'ot, stuffy stick o' wood an' tare an' dust, an' crowds o' nervous ol' gents an' 'busses, an' the bobby's 'and like a turnpike at every corner, an' the 'ouses an' shops an' offices full o' people tryin' to swindle one another. Jus' the nigh empty roads an' streets, an' the rap, rap o' the ol' mare's 'oofs, an' the 'undreds an' thousands o' yeller lights, an' most people too busy sleepin' to do any swindlin'. Yus! Gimme the night."

He walked into the place in the rank, and eyed the two other cabs there critically. "The ol' pair," he chuckled. "Potty an' Ginger Bates. Like bloomin' twins, them two."

As he entered the shelter, Potty was holding forth upon the penury that seemed to have assailed all his clients that evening, instancing one gentleman who, according to Potty, weighed about three hundred pounds. He had apparently been driven two miles less forty yards, proffered a shilling, carefully listened to Potty's expostulations, and finally produced his card. "An' may I never smile again," concluded the much injured, "if 'e wasn't a perishin' lawyer, an' 'e said 'e'd be wery pleased to take my case if I thought of suing 'im! 'Ow are yer, Pinch?"

"Curious," remarked Pinch, nodding to indicate that his bodily health was excellent. "Fat folk ain't often like that. Amiable an' 'armless I've usually found 'em. There wuz a man I knew once, as nice a man as ever wuz, only fat as—as—fat; used to reckon 'is own weight in 'undredweights, 'stead of in stones like ordinary people. Nice a man as ever wuz, too. I used to drive 'im frequent from Charin' Cross to Ludgate Circus, an' 'e allus gimme 'alf-a-dollar. Well, I wuz sayin' 'e wus the fattest man I ever seed. It's a fac' wot I'm tellin' yer now, but I've seen 'im stop sudden arter walkin' slowly along, an' the mere exertion of stoppin' sudden 'as made 'im sweat till 'e looked as if 'e'd been out in the rain. All the hosses in London kebs knew 'im, an' if they piped 'im 'ail the keb they wuz drawin' they'd bolt like blazes. I wuz about the only one 'oo could manage 'im, 'cause, yer see, the 'oss I wuz drivin' then wuz wall'eyed on the near side, an' by slippin' round the back o' the keb an' gettin' in from the road, the 'oss never knew 'e'd been done till 'e started pullin', an', o' course, 'e couldn't bolt then, 'cause the ol' man wuz too 'eavy."

"It's rum 'ow some fares wot looks quite 'opeless from the financial point o' view turns out good eggs; an' it's just like that the other way about, 'too," remarked Ginger. "I picked up a man wot looked a cert. for a bob extry. Fine-lookin', well-dressed chap, 'e was, an' I reckoned that extry bob as good as in my pocket. But, lor'! 'e jumps out an' 'ands me a bob for a two-mile trot as calm an' nice, never turnin' a 'air. I looked at the shillin', an' I looked at 'im, an' I ses to 'im, 'Call yerself a gentleman?' ses I; an' 'e smiles sarcastic an' ses, 'Haw, I am usually considered to possess the hinstinks of a gentleman—haw.' So I ses, 'Haw, well, you may 'ave the bloomin' hinstinks, but you hain't got the bloomin' 'abits, an' the hinstinks ain't worth tuppence 'longside o' the 'abits,' ses I, an' I tell yer 'e didn't look quite so satisfied with 'isself."

A faint jingling of bells floated through the air as Ginger concluded, and a few moments later Bill Jones entered.

"Wet oh, Pinch! 'Ow are yer?" said he. "'Aven't seen yer fer ten days, wuz lookin' everywhere fer yer yesterday; looked in all the likely places I could think of, an' drew blank every time."

"Oh," said Pinch, mildly, but with a trace of suspicion in his tone. "An' wot might you call all the likely places?"

"Why," replied Bill, "I went into all the cubs round your way, an' asked sev'ral p'licemen if they'd taken you up, but you 'adn't been seen nowhere."

"A man," retorted Pinch with some heat, "a man wot wants to git drunk, an' goes into all the pubs 'e can find on the excuse o' lookin' fer me, is a man in the wery fust rank o' liars."

"'Ush!" said Tom, with mild dignity. "'Ush, gents! This ain't the 'Ouse o' Commons."

A general laugh greeted this caustic allusion to an almost forgotten episode, and peace reigned. Bill demanded coffee, drank, and threw his head back with a laugh.

"One o' the rummiest goes I wuz ever in, it wuz," he said apologetically and explanatorily. "T'other night—'aven't seen yer since—t'other night wuz trottin' empty through Russell Square 'bout twelve o'clock, an' spots an ol' cove clingin' to a lamp-post. Drew up, o' course. Lor'! 'e was squiffy. Got 'is 'at over 'is eyes, wuz 'oldin' the lamp-post both 'ands, an' wuz cryin' as if 'is 'eart wuz broke. I got down an' shook 'im. 'Keb, sir?' I ses. 'E looked at me, dozed-like. 'I've been an' forgotten it,' 'e ses; 'I don't know wot I shall do.' 'Comon, sir,' ses I. 'Get inside an' lemme drive yer 'ome.' 'Ome!' ses 'e. 'Ome, I daresn't go 'ome. Look at this!' and 'e 'eld out a handkerchief to me. It 'ad got a big knot tied in one corner. I looks at it, an' 'e starts sobbin' an' sighin' again. 'Well, wot about it?' ses I. 'Se that knot?' ses 'e. 'Yus,' ses I. 'My wife put that there,' ses 'e, 'to remind me to get 'er somethin', an' I've forgotten wot it wuz.' O' course, I busted out larfin', an' 'e looks at me. 'You don't know my wife,' 'e ses, dryin' 'is eyes. 'You don't know 'er. I wish I wuz dead.' Then 'e strated off again. I think 'e must 'ave been drinkin' gin all night. Presently 'e sobered up. 'Cabby,' ses 'e, 'yo're the only fren' I've got. I'll 'ire yer keb fer the night, an' got to sleep in it.' Well, I got him in the keb, but 'e wouldn't tell me where 'e lived. Sed I didn't know 'is wife. I druv to ol' Pringle's pub, 'ad a dog's-nose myself, an' made 'im swaller one o' Pringle's Particulars, with a dash o' red pepper. It nearly paralyzed 'im, but it woke 'im up, an' 'e got out, took 'is boots off on the kerb, gave me 'is card, tellin' me to call next day, sed I wuz 'is only frien', an' crept up the steps into 'is 'ouse.

"Nex' day but one I calls there. 'E wuz as 'appy as a sandboy, gave me a quid an' a whisky-soda, an' 'is blessin'. 'Fore I come away, I felt curious, so I ses, 'Scuse the liberty, sir, but wot might it 'ave been that you forgot?' 'Ush,' ses 'e; 'not a word! Twuz two o' the club fellers did it, knowin' my ways,' an' 'e flung 'is fat ol' self back in 'is armchair, an' laughed, an' laughed, an' laughed for so long, I thought I'd clear out before 'e busted, an' there I left him, laughin' like that. I could 'ear 'im till I got outside the front door. Lor'! 'e wuz a rum un."

Framed in the doorway, the face of a loafer peered in with blinking vision. "Oose Number One?" he demanded. "Fare waitin'."

"That's me," responded Potty, snatching up his hat and buttoning his coat. "Pinch, where wuz yer really yesterday, when Bill couldn't find yer?"

The old man spoke, and his tones were tones of dignified sorrow.

"I s'pose it'll all come out," he said; "so I might as well tell yer. While Bill Jones wuz takin' all that unnecessary trouble, I wuz bein' 'ad. Me, sixty year old last C'ris'mas, wuz 'ad, done brown."

Incredulous amusement blending with concern on the faces of the others bore gratifying testimony to the esteem in which Pinch's pawkiness was held. Potty's fingers ceased fumbling with his buttons, and he gazed at the old man dazedly. The loafer's eyes peeped in again. "Toff wants to know if yo're asleep or only drunk," he announced.

"Comin'! Comin'!" said Potty. "Pinch, don't tell 'em. For goodness sake don't tell 'em till we're all together again."

A beam of importance shone in the old man's eye.

"Wery good," said he; "I won't. It'll wait."

"'Zackly!" said Potty. "And I can't. Good-night, mates."

MINISTER RESIGNS.

His Counsel Object to Ruling of Clergyman Who Presides at Church Trial.

Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 27.—Rev. Wilbert P. Ferguson, of University Place, today resigned from the State Methodist conference rather than proceed with the church trial in which he was being tried for unbecoming conduct with Mrs. E. Cross, a member of his congregation. His counsel declared the withdrawal took place because of the prejudiced rulings of Rev. J. T. Roberts, presiding at the trial. They declared that the ruling preventing depositions reflecting on Mrs. Cross was highly unfair.

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GAOL TO HOLD 10,000 ASIATICS

By the author of "The Asiatic Danger in the Colonies."

Will the Transvaal have to build a new jail to accommodate 10,000 Asiatics? Or will the first law passed by the first elected parliament be successfully defied by the eastern peoples within her borders?

These are the questions South Africa is asking to-day. And they are questions which the whole Empire should note. For the Transvaal's latest troubles raises an issue of the greatest importance. The Indians in the colony have armed themselves with the weapon of the British Nonconformists. They have become passive resisters. They sit down and stolidly refuse to obey the law of the land. They are prepared to be sent to jail, or ruined in business, or deported. But they will not be registered by act of parliament. The deadlock is an awkward one. What the Asiatics in the Transvaal do to-day the Asiatics in Natal, or Australia, or British Columbia may do to-morrow.

Why There Is Trouble.

Briefly, the facts are these: There are in the Transvaal some 12,000 Asiatics—exclusive, of course, of the Chinese mine coolies, who do not come within the new act. It is declared by the administration that their numbers are being constantly added to by the influx of newcomers, who get in on the strength of false permits or without any permits at all.

It was resolved, therefore, to find out precisely who are entitled to reside in the Transvaal, and for this purpose there was passed the Asiatic Law Amendment Ordinance, which, although not assented to in the days of the nominated legislature, was allowed by the Imperial authorities when passed by the self-governing colony. This law calls upon every Asiatic to apply for a registration certificate, and on the form asking for this certificate every Asiatic male over eight years of age must place his finger impressions.

The government decided to put the act in force district by district. They began with Pretoria, where the Asiatics were called upon to register between July 1st and July 31st. Led by the British Indians, the Asiatics refused. They placed pickets outside the registration office, and the official appointed to receive the applications sat all day and every day waiting for Asiatics who did not come. Then it was decided to receive applications secretly at night at private houses. Forty Memons gave in, and it is believed another 30 or 40 Indians applied. But in Pretoria alone 1,600 Asiatics defied the law, and assuming that the proportion is maintained in all the other districts there will eventually be over 10,000 Asiatics liable first to a fine of £100 or three months' imprisonment, then to the loss of their trading licenses, and finally to deportation.

Indian Objections.

The Indians object to the principle of the act and also to its provisions. They declare it is class legislation of the worst type. They say that if every man in the Transvaal were called upon to register they would register as quickly as anyone. But when they are singled out by law they refuse. They protest that a precedent would be created. They say that once the principle of special legislation is admitted in the statute book there is no guarantee that it will not be expanded and that they will be forced to live and trade in special locations, pay special taxes, and in fact be treated differently from other British subjects.

But there are weak spots in the Asiatic case. In the first place, the finger impression system is widely used in India without any talk of degradation and humiliation. It is employed in numberless business transactions; it is used every day in the Indian army. Therefore it is claimed that the outcry in the Transvaal is exaggerated sentimentalism. Moreover the Indians have given their thumb impressions already. They consented to Lord Milner's registration by this method. If one impression, why not ten?

Again, the Indian committee in London suggested to General Botha that Asiatics with some degree of education, able to sign their names plainly, should be allowed to place their signatures on the application forms instead of their finger impressions. This is a reasonable idea. But I am assured that the Transvaal Indians refused point-blank to accept the suggestion of their own London committee. They repudiated the idea of distinctions, and insisted that the university man must be treated in precisely the same way as the street hawker. This is a curious argument, and one which every student of the color problem in South Africa has rejected. It is the antithesis of Cecil Rhodes' plea for "equal rights for every civilized man."

The "Squeezing-Out" Process.

The Transvaal public as a whole refuse to admit the arguments of the Asiatics. They declare that the Indians who are entitled to live in the colony must be identified. It is impossible to go on issuing permits indiscriminately and allowing numbers of newcomers to enter the colony.

In the circumstances the Europeans of the Transvaal are entitled to some protection. Whatever may be said to the contrary, Asiatic competition is a serious thing in South Africa, and the deeper the depression the more serious it becomes. White families are being "squeezed out" by the hundred. The exodus to other lands continues. But the Asiatic trader is immovable. He survives; he grows in numbers. This may be regarded as evidence of his thrifty habits and business ability. But it is no satisfaction to those who are trying to build up a white station in South Africa and make the sub-continent a source of strength, instead of weakness, to the Empire.

Will the Transvaal government build a new jail? Or will they admit defeat?

THE BOHEMIAN.

A score or more of the brightest of American humorists tell in the October Bohemian the secrets of their craft in an article entitled, "How a Joke Is Made." The article sparkles with witty stories and humorous illustrations. Another article, entitled "Being a Model," will dispel many mistaken notions regarding the artist's model. Miss Blanche Bates, whose work on the American stage is attracting much attention, contributes to the October issue an account of her life, entitled "My Yesterdays."

The leading humorous feature of the number is "The Autibiography of Cupid," edited by Edward Marshall. In this feature the little god makes a clean breast of his long and busy life. "Here and There," as usual, overflows with attractive engravings and storiettes of persons in the public eye.

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Application for homestead entry must be made in person by the applicant at the office of the local Agent or Sub-Agent. Entry by proxy may, however, be made on certain conditions by the father, mother, son, daughter, brother, or sister of an intending homesteader.

An application for entry or inspection made personally at any Sub-Agent's office may be wired to the local agent by the Sub-Agent, at the expense of the applicant, and if the land applied for is vacant on receipt of the telegram such application is to have priority and the land will be held until the necessary papers to complete the transaction are received by mail.

In case of "personation" the entry will be summarily cancelled and the applicant will forfeit all priority of claim.

An application for inspection must be made in person. The applicant must be eligible for homestead entry, and only one application for inspection will be received from an individual until that application has been disposed of.

A homesteader whose entry is in good standing and not liable to cancellation, may, subject to approval of Department, relinquish it in favor of father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister, if eligible, but to no one else, on filing declaration of abandonment.

Where an entry is summarily cancelled, or voluntarily abandoned, subsequent to institution of cancellation proceedings, the applicant for inspection will be entitled to prior right of entry.

Applicants for inspection must state in what particulars the homesteader is in default, and if subsequently the statement is found to be incorrect in material particulars, the applicant will lose any prior right of re-entry, should the land become vacant, or if entry has been granted it may be summarily cancelled.

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COAL.—Coal mining rights may be leased for a period of twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1 per acre. Not more than 2,560 acres shall be leased to one individual or company. A royalty at the rate of five cents per ton shall be collected on the merchantable coal mined.

QUARTZ.—A person eighteen years of age, or over, having discovered mineral in place, may locate a claim 1,500 x 1,500 feet.

The fee for recording a claim is $5.

At least $100 must be expended on the claim each year or paid to the mining recorder in lieu thereof. When $500 has been expended or paid, the locator may, upon having a survey made, and upon complying with other requirements, purchase the land at $1 per acre.

The patent provides for the payment of a royalty of 2½ per cent. on the sales.

Placer mining claims generally are 100 feet square; entry fee $5, renewable yearly.

An applicant may obtain two leases to dredge for gold of five miles each for a term of twenty years, renewable at the discretion of the Minister of the Interior.

The lessee shall have a dredge in operation within one season from the date of the lease for each five miles. Rental $10 per annum for each mile of river leased. Royalty at the rate of 2½ per cent. collected on the output after it exceeds $10,000.

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Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.

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NOTICE.

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria having determined that it is desirable to construct permanent sidewalks of concrete on the following streets, namely:

1. Bridge street, both sides, between Esquimalt road and Ellice street.
2. Langford street, both sides, from Lot 1, Block 4, to Lot 10, in Block 5.
3. McPherson avenue, both sides, from Craigflower road westerly.
4. Fullerton avenue, both sides, between Langford street and McPherson avenue.

And that each and every of said works shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the "Local Improvement General By-Law" and amendment thereto, and the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the Council in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of the said by-law upon the said works of local improvement, giving statements showing the amounts chargeable, in each case, against the various portions of real property to be benefited thereby, and their reports having been adopted by the Council:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the reports herein referred to are open for inspection at the office of the City Assessor, City Hall, Douglas street.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., Sept. 17th, 1907.

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6 ROOMS, COTTAGE—Work Estate. $2,500
6 ROOMS, BRICK—Work Estate ... $2,700
5 ROOMS, COTTAGE—Good, Rock Bay $2,650
6 ROOMS, 2 STORY—Pembroke $2,250
5 ROOMS, COTTAGE—Bodwell $1,600
8 ROOMS, 2 STORY—Stanley Ave... $3,500
7 ROOMS, 1½ STORY—Chestnut Ave. $3,000
7 ROOMS, 2 STORY—Johnson $3,650
4 ROOMS, COTTAGE—2 lots, corner. $1,850

The most of those are modern.

A large selection of LOTS AND NEW HOUSES to choose from.

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WANTED—Old coats and vests, pants, boots and shoes, trunks, valises, shotguns, revolvers, overcoats, etc. Highest cash prices paid. Will call at any address. Jacob Aaronson's new and second-hand store, 64 Johnson street, two doors below Government street.

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TO LET—Four well furnished bedrooms, by the week or month. At 40 Kane St.

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FURNISHED front room to let, centrally located and pleasantly situated. 13½ Bellot street.

TO LET—Furnished, modern, up-to-date, furnished, 5 roomed house, Work Estate, corner King's road and Second street. For other particulars see Grant & Lineham, real estate brokers, No. 2 View street.

TRUCK AND DRAY.

TRUCKING—Quick service, reasonable charges. Walsh Bros., Tel. No. 1, Baker's Feed Store, 30 Yates street.

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REAL ESTATE, INSURANCE, LOANS, & GENERAL FINANCIAL AGENTS.

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ONE HOUSE IN JAMES BAY, $1,150.

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FOR SALE, IN DUNCANS, BUSINESS AND BUILDING LOTS, GOING BUSINESSES.

ON SOMENOS LAKE, ONE MILE FROM DUNCANS.

FARM—40 acres, 10 cultivated, 15 slashed, house, barn and outhouses, orchard, stock and implements, $5,000.

20 ACRES—8 acres cultivated, all slashed and seeded, beautiful view, $2,500.

ON QUAMICHAN LAKE, 2 MILES FROM DUNCANS.

1½ ACRES—House, stable, chicken houses, good well, all slashed and fenced, beautiful view, $2,500.

30 ACRES—8 acres clear, 7 roomed house, bathroom, hot and cold water laid on, stable, cow house and outbuildings, $12,500.

TOWN LOTS IN ALBERNI AND NANAIMO.

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90 ACRES OF LAND—20 cleared, balance fine land, GOOD EVERLASTING STREAM OF WATER, fruits and vegetables in abundance, 6 roomed good house, barn, stable, pig stye, chicken house, wagon, and other outhouses, all in first-class order and repair; horse, rig, pigs, 200 chickens, 11 cows. Price $5,250.

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PERRY ST.—6 roomed cottage, modern conveniences, lot 60 ft. x 120 ft., $2,625; terms.

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LEE & FRASER,

REAL ESTATE AGENTS,
11 TROUNCE AVE., VICTORIA, B. C.

LARGE LOT, DOUGLAS GARDENS—55 ft. by 158 ft. Price $3,650.

CADBORO BAY ROAD—8 roomed dwelling and one acre of land, about 50 fruit trees; on terms. Price $5,000.

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GLADSTONE AVENUE—Fine modern house, built this year, only $3,500.

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SWINERTON & ODDY,
102 GOVERNMENT STREET.

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TWO FULL-SIZED LOTS.
With cottage and barn valued at $1,200. 15 foot right of way to View street, 450 feet exactly from property valued at $250 per front foot.
$10,500

FOURTH STREET.
GOOD HOUSE
With 2 acres in all, fitted up as a chicken ranch.
Owner says can turn out $1,200 yearly. Last month's receipts were $157.20.
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CORNER OF COOK STREET AND KING'S ROAD.
14 ACRES
at $1,800 per acre.

LEIGHTON ROAD.
LOT
In good location.
$500.00

ON THE GORGE
4.48 ACRES
With new 5 room house.
Land all slashed, waterfront.
Would exchange for city property.
$7,850.

OLD ESQUIMALT ROAD.
NEARLY 1 1-2 ACRES
Close to Lampson Street
Fine Building Site.
$2,850.

ESQUIMALT ROAD.
NEARLY 3 ACRES
With picturesque cottage on corner and the foundation of a fine place
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ESQUIMALT ROAD.
2 1-4 ACRES AND 2 LOTS.
Good site
$6,850

VICTORIA WEST.
OVER 5 ACRES
North of the Railway Track
At $1,200 per acre.

DOUGLAS ROAD
1.43 ACRES
Adjoining the Railway Track
$1,600.

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110—NICE 6 ROOMED COTTAGE—And outbuildings, with ¾ acre fine land $4,200

113—NEW 5 ROOMED COTTAGE—Good location $3,200

116—SPLENDID 14 ROOMED HOUSE—In good order, close in $6,800

FIRST CLASS HOTEL—Well located.. .... $25,000

FINEST BUILDING SITE in the city, ¾ of an acre $7,000

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51—7 ROOMED HOUSE—In excellent order, all modern conveniences, two minutes from City Hall, $4,200.

2 LOTS—50x147, on Bodwell street and Vining street $1,200

53—10 ROOMED MODERN BRICK HOUSE—Every modern convenience, stables, close in, $6,300.

55—7 ROOMED HOUSE, first-class condition, 1 acre land, beautiful water front, $4,000.

57—2 STORY HOUSE—In excellent condition $1,800

74—FINE 9 ROOMED MODERN RESIDENCE, stable, best locality, $7,500.

62—5 ACRES LAND, 7 roomed house, young orchard, nice location, $5,500.

8—FIVE ACRES—Excellent soil, cleared, fenced, with two acres in potatoes, good cottage and stable, $3,600.

63—TWO GOOD BUSINESS LOTS AND BUILDINGS, ½ cash, $6,500.

32—LOTS—50 ft. x 120 ft., good soil, very pleasant location, from $120 up.

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WING WONG WAS A GOOD RIDER

BRONCHO BUSTING A GOOD ATTRACTION

Result of Yesterday's Competition Among the Cowboys--Klootchman's Race Again Put on

The broncho-busting contest is being fought to a finish this afternoon, Blatchford, of Calgary; Tom Graham, of Monte Creek, and Hans Richter, champion of British Columbia, being left in for the final. Yesterday two very good exhibitions were given by Graham and Blatchford, while Richter had the misfortune to ride a tame broncho. Chilliwack Cherub, which successfully threw Basil on Thursday, refused to buck when the champion got in the saddle and contented itself with a quiet canter about the paddock. Richter will ride twice this afternoon to make up for this failure yesterday.

Tom Graham stuck to Sockeye in fine style, preserving his equilibrum with great skill. Blatchford, the little young Calgary representative, gave one of the best exhibitions of riding seen this week. He drew Cohoe for his mount, a wicked broncho with a nasty sidebuck that only a superb rider could resist. The tall Albertan proved its master, however, and tamed Cohoe for the time being most effectively.

Richter drew Chilliwack Cherub, and was greatly disgusted to find that his pony would not buck. The Cherub cantered about the enclosure, giving little attention to the champion's efforts to make it buck and then stopped. Richter had no opportunity of giving an exhibition and will ride twice today in consequence.

Francis Basil provided one of the most intersting features of the exhibition by riding half-a-mile standing. His clever feat was loudly applauded by an admiring crowd.

An invitation was made for any rider present to ride White Stockings, a fresh broncho with plenty of buck and kick in it. The only person to accept the invitation was a suspiciously tall and big-chested Chinaman, dressed in blues jeans and wearing an oily smile and a long pig-tail. Amid the cheers of the multitude the broncho was led forth and the husky Celestial, who was announced as Wing Wong, of Kamloops, vaulted into the saddle. He gave a very clever display of horsemanship and worked the bucking broncho till it was tamed. The crowd woke up to the fact that it was being duped when Wing pulled off his pig-tail and belabored the plunging pony with it. Wing, who was Oliver Walker, of Douglas Lake, until yesterday, received a big cheer when he got through with his pony.

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Kingston, Jamaica, Sept. 28.—There is a bitter feeling against the English insurance companies growing out of the actions arising from the disaster of last January. It is charged that the companies are delaying the cases by technicalities. Their latest move is an announcement by counsel that the companies propose in the action to make a counter claim for the declaration that the loss sustained by the policyholders was caused by an earthquake. This means, if it succeeds, that other cases cannot be proceeded with because the companies would win under the earthquake clause. Merchants think that local companies should be formed to carry insurance. As the restoration of Kingston progresses the boycott of English concerns increases.

THE CIVIL SERVICE.

Commission Heard Representatives of the Customs Department at Toronto.

Toronto, Sept. 27.—The Dominion civil service commission concluded its work in Toronto this morning when representatives of the customs department were heard. They asked for a minimum salary of $900, eight-hour day for outside men and seven hours for inside men.

In a memorial they stated that they thought the cost of living had advanced 50 per cent. within the past few years, while many officials had received the same salary for 20 years. It was suggested that officers who have been in service for a number of years should be allowed such increase as would equal the amount to which they would be entitled had they entered the service at the minimum. Dissatisfaction was expressed with the present retiring fund. It was suggested that the governmnt add an amount to the salaries equal to that taken off for the retiring fund and then allow four per cent. interest of the total.

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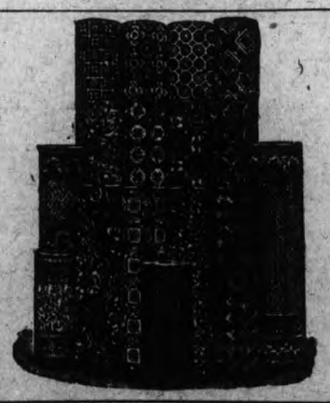

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